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mining district, and des. as lot No 46 in section 36 township 7 range 10, and the Last Chance quartz mine in Amador City mining district.

Finn, Ray—a tract of land being the northwest quarter of section 22 township 7 range 11, 160 acres....

Lincoln Gold Mining Co—the Lincoln gold mine in Sutter Creek min-ing district, and designated as lot No 42, in section 6, township ship 6 range 11, and the hoisting

Leggett, Annie- A tract of land being northwest quarter of northwest quarter of section 23 township 7 range 11, 40 acres

Morgan. Mrs C E B-A house and lot in Sutter Creek, being iot 3 black

Raghusina, D-a house and lot in Amador City, being lot 21 block 1

Wait, W A - A tract of land being south half of northwest quarter and southwest quarter of northeast quarter of southewst quarter, of southewst quarter, of southeast quarter, of southeast quarter, of southeast quarter.

ter of southewst quarter, of section 26 township 7 range 11,

160 acres
asch, Wilhelm—Interest created
and secured by trust deed executed by Western Gold Mining
Co on the west half of southwest
quarter of section 4 township 6
range 11, and the east half of
southeast quarter of section 5
township6range11 (all properties
of the said Western Gold Mining
Co) original valuation of security

Co) original valuation of security \$100,000, present valuation in Amador co by agreement \$15,000, dated December 2nd, 1902.....

Township Five.

Bawden, T P,—a house and lot in Plymouth being lot 11 block 14 2 07

Centennial Mining Co-The Centen-nial quartz mine in Drytown mining district, and described as lot 72 in the southwest quarter of section 13 township 7 range 10, and hoist on same.....

Andrews, John F—Interest created by morigage executed by A J Crain and wife on east half of northwest quarter of section 19, township 8 range 11, Original and present value of mortgage \$560; dated July 12, 1905, to run 5 years.

Cable, H L-A tract of land being the

Castle, C C—The Price quarty mine in Plymouth mining dist, in west half of northeast quarter of section 26 township 8 range 10, 20 acres

Ekel, Edgar—a tract of land being lot No 4 of northwest quarter and lot No 3 being northeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 3 township 7 range 9, and northeast quarter of section 4 township 7 range 9, 25 acres, and personal property......

Volz, A G = a tract of land being

Guhl, Henry- A tract of land being

Gordon, H P—The Golden Gate quartz mine described as lot 88 in sec-tions II and 14 township 7 range

Grey, Mrs L-- a house and lot in Plymouth, being lot 5 block 7

Heisch, P & E-A lot in Drytown being lot 6 block 14

Hart, John —a tract of land being a fractional part of northeast quar-ter of seetion 23 township 8 range 10, 116 acres.

Holman, J H-A house and lot in Plymouth, being lot 8 block 15,

Klamath Consolidated HydraulicGold

Kreiss, Mrs A-A lot in Plymouth being lot 4 block 25

Kaufman, H.-A tract of land being the southeast quarter of north-east quarter of section 7 township 7 range 10, 40 acres

Love, A W—A tract of land being a fraction of northwest quarter of northeast quarter of section 23

Lasich, John--A lot in Plymouth be-

Lagomarsino, L-A lot in Plymouth being lot 2 block 21.....

McGregor, John--A house and lot in Plymouth, being lot 8 block 6,

McFarlane, Mrs Mary—A tract of land being lots Nos 1, 2 and 5 of sec-tion 3 township 7 range 9, 123 acres, and personal property

Nichols, Mrs S H-A lot in Plymouth being lot ll block 20.....

Owens, Mrs—A lot in Plymouth, being lot 2 block 17

Pocahontas Improvement Co-the Po

cahontas quartz mine in Dry-town mining district, and des-ignaed as 'ot No 8l, being in sees 23 and 24 township 7 range 10, and hoisting works, and one old ten stamp mill connected with same; and the California quartz mine in Drytown mining district and described as lot No 74 in

and described as lot No 74 in sections 23 and 24 township 8

ange 10., and a certain water litch taking water from Blue takes reservoir and conveying tame to the Pocahontas mine....

southeast quarter of southwest quarter of section 26 township 8 range 10, and frac northeast quar

ter of southwest quarter, and fraction east, half of northeast

quarter of section 35, township 8, range 10, 150 acres.....

5 96 Needham, Mrs-A house and lot in Plymouth being lot 2 block 13...

and personal property....

ing lot 3 block 24, and fot in Plymouth being lot 4 block 24...

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Mining Co-A trast of land being

southeast quarter of northeast quarter and northeast quarter of southeast quarter of section 18 township 7 range 9, 80 acres....

the fraction of south half of south half of section 15 township

8 range 10, 90 acres, and the frac-tion of portheast quarter of

northwest quarter of section 22 township 8 range 10, 30 acres

8 37 Garrett, I K—A quartz mine located in the east half of northeast quar-ter of section 4 township 7 range

40 acres

r section 18 township 7 range 10,

works and machinery connected with same, and one air com-

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Township One.

e Witt, I N—The Isaac Newton quartz mine in Jackson mining district, and designated as lot No. 80. in section 34, township 6, range 11,

section 34, township 6, range 11, 17 acres; and a quartz mine on Murphy's land in Jackson mining district, and designated as lots 71 and 72, in section 34, township 6, range 11, 32 acres; and personal property......

ackson Exploration Co-A tract of land, being lot No5in the south-west quarter of southeast quarter of section 34 township 6 range 11, 3386-160 acres, and hoisting works buildings, and one fifteen stamp

Mother Lode Mining Co-The Consoli-

Moore Mining Co —A tract of land being a fractional part of section 34 township 6 range 11, 115 acres, and southwest quarter of south-west quarter of section 27 town-

dated McNamara quartz mine in Jackson mining district, and described as lots 81 and 82, in sec-tion 3 township 5 range 12.....

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ship 6 range 11, 40 acres, and fractional part section 28 towns-hip 6 range 11, 85 acres, and frac part of north half of north half of section 33 township 6 range 11, 42 acres; embracing the Moore nine, being in Jackson mining

Nevills, W A-A tract of land being a frac part of northeast quarter of southwest quarter of section 35 township 6 range 11. 28 acres; and frac part of north half of north half of section 33 township 3 rang 11, 42 acres; and lots Nos 1, 4 and 5 of section 10 township 5 nge 11, 15 acres .

Raun, E P-The Del Rey quartz mine, being located in section 10 township 5 range 11, and frac part of southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 10 township 5 range 11, and buildings and other

Shealor, J. L.—A tract of land being lots Nos 2, 3 and 4 of section 2 towdship 6 range 11, 119 acres Vogt, H F—the Vogt gravel claim in section 32, twp 6 range 12, a min-eral claim above reservoir; a mineral claim below reservoir; the Marion claim mineral, and a certain ditch taking water from Marion gulch, and a sec-ond ditch taking water from Reservoir gulch; also the Llewel-claim.

Township Two.

Morton, J D et al, interest acquired by mortgage executed by the American Pacific Mining and Development Co, on property in Butte co, being the Black Prince, Dream, Bonanza Queen, Anna Williams, New Year, Annie Laurie, Golden Eagle Oriental, Sweepstake, El Dorado and Superior quartz mines, and property in Amador co, being the River King quartz mine and all rights under notice of appropriation of water; and in Calaveras co, being the Chalk Hill deep gravel placer mine and the Nigger Hill cement gravel mine, and rights under agreement between J D and W W Cook and the American Pacific Mining and De-American Pacific Mining and De velopment Co, original and present value of mortgage lien \$500, dated July 31, 1901, to run 5 years

Bawden, C E—a one half interest in a certain ditch taking water from Jackson creek near a stone house and conveying same to Lancha Plana and vicinity......\$

Perkey, Mrs E, estate of—a tract of land being fractional part of east half of section 7 township 5 range 9, 63 acres, and fractional part of north half section 8 township 5 range 9, 71

ntherland, D A—interest created by mortgage executed by George D. Scofield on realty of Mrs S L Tubbs original and present value of secu-rity \$300, dated October 22nd, 1901, to run — years ong Fook Co-mining claim in Lancha

Westmoreland and Sons—a one half in-terest in a suspension bridge across the Mokelume river, and being near the town of Lancha Plana....

Township Three.

A O U W, Jackson Lodge--a hall and lot in Volcano, being lot 13 block 13..... ebe, Joseph-a tract of land being the range 15, 320 acres...

over, Mrs Francis—a tract of land be-ing northeast quarter of section 30 township 8 range 12, and east half of southeast quarter of southeast quarter, 180 acres Barney, Mrs J L---realty in Oleta, being lots Nos 10, 11 and 12, in block 6......

Batchelder, T C-a tract of land being southwest quarter of northeast quarter, and southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 34 township 7 range 12, 80 acres, and half of northeast quarter of section 34 town ship 7 range 12, 80 acres, and personal property.....

Clark Brothers—a tract of land being the southwest quarter of northwest quarter of sec 2 township 7 range 11, and the north half of northwest quarter of southwest quarter of section 2 township 7 range 11, and the southwest quarter of southwest quarter of section 2 township 7 range 11, 100 acres, and the south half of southeast quarter of section 3 township 7 range 11, 80 acres,.

Davis, Mrs M L-a tract of land being the east half of northwest quarter of section 27 township 8 range 14, 80 acres; and west half of north-east quarter of section 27 town-ship 8 range 14, 80 acres....

enend & Eimere—a mining claim being in section 2 township 7 range 12, 20

mine in the southwest quarter northeast quarter of section township 8 range 11, 8 acres...... Estes, T W-a tract of land being the southwest quarter of southeast quarter of section 15 township 8

range 11, 40 acres. Endeavor Mining Co—a parcel of land being the west half of southeast quarter of southeast quarter of section 33 township 8 range 11,

Ferris. J H-a tract of land being the south half of section 36 township 8 range 15, 320 acres..... Frye, J W-a house and lot in Volcano, being lot 5 block 11

Fieldheimer, C—a tract of land being the north half of southeast quarter and southeast quarter of northeast quarter and northwest quarter of southwest quarter of section 21 township 7 range 13, 160 acres....... Greenwood, J A—the Clear Water Quartz
mine in Volcano mining district...
Gifford, David R—a tract of land being
northeast quarter of northeast
quarter and north half of southeast
quarter of northeast quarter and
wost half of northwest quarter of
tion 31 township 7, range 13, 140
acres

Hadley, E S and S K Thornton---a tract of land being west half of west half of northwest quarter of section 26 township 8 range 11, 40 acres

Hollister, HA— a Quartz mine known as the Whitmore in Volcano min-ing district and a mile west of Vol-Hatch, Mary, and J W Marshal---a tract

n, mary, and 3 w Marshall—a tract of land being the northeast buarter of southwest quarter and north-west quarter of southeast quarter of section 1 township 7 ronge 12, 80 acres, and 1 engine, boiler and other improvements Harrel, F M—a tract of land being the southeast quarter of southeast quarter section 14 township 8 range

11, 40 acres, and north half of north east quarter section 23 township 8 range 11, 80 acres, and the northwest quarter of northwest quarter of sec-tion 24 township 8 range 11, 40 acres Hauk, Adam—a tract of land being a one half interest in the east half of southwest quarter of southeast quarter section 33 township 8 range

ship 7 range 12, known as the Horse-Levecque, Henry---a tract of land being south half of southwest quarter of section 23 township 8 range 11, 80

Lone Hill Mining Co, the Lone Hill gravel mine, being the southeast quarter of northeast quarter of section 4 township 7 range 11, and the north half of northeast quarter of section 4 township 7 range 11, and the northwest quarter of northeast quarter of section 4 township 7 range 11, 100 cares and northeast quarter of section township 7 range 11, 100 acres improvements consisting of a improvements consisting of a dwelling, other buildings, cars, etc..... essley, W J-a tract of land being the

southeast quarter of northeast quarter of section 3 township 7 range 13, and north half of south-east quarter section 3 township 7 range 13, 160 acres, and sw³₄ of nw³₄ section 2 township 7 range 14. 11 75 Martel, Louis—a tract of land being the east half of west half of section 23 township 9 range 17, 160 acres Murphy, Mrs J-a tract of land being the

south half of northeast quarter and northwest quarter of southeast quarter section 24 township 7 range 11, 120 acres.... Murray, W H—a tract of land being the southwest quarter and west half of southwast quarter and northeast quarter of southeast quarter of secction 16 town ship 8 range 15, 280

McClinton, J G—a tract of land being the east half of northeast quarter sec-tion 36 township 8 range 13, 80 acres and north half of southeast quarter section 36 township 8 range 13, 80 acres Neff, John D.-a house and lot in Oleta, being lot 8 block 9..... Orr, N W-a tract of land being the

southwest quarter of section 36 township 8 range 16, 160 acres Parker Mining Co—The Parker Quartz mine in Volcano mining district, and described as lot 47 in section 14 township 7 range 12..... Pine Grove Hall—The town hall and lot in Pine Grove, being lot 5 in block

Peyton, Lee--a parcel of land beind a frac part of section 32 township 7 rage 12... uinn, T J --a lot in Volcano, being lot 2 block 7, and blacksmith shop, and lot in Volcano, being lot 9 block 6, and personal property.....

section 19 township 8 range 15, and south half of southeast quarter of ection 18 township 8 range 15, eward Mining Co—a tract of land being the southwest quarter of southwest quarter and fractional northwest quarter of section 34 township 7 range 12, 40 acres, and one ten stamp mill and 250 feet of iron pipe.

es, J O-a tract of land being the north half of northeast quarter of

the Setzer ditch, conveying water to land formerly owned by Bray & Co. 11 75 Shealor, Jas E—a tract of land being the west half of southwest quarter section 6 township 7 range 13, 80 acres, and the southeast quarter of southwest quarter section 6 town-ship 7 range 13, 40 acres, and per-sonal property.

cured by mortgage executed by James Shealor to D F Gray and James Snealor to D F Gray and subsequently transferred to present holder, on east half of southwest quarter and southwest quarter of southwest quarter of section 6 town-ship 7 range 13, original and pres value of mortgage \$350, dated June 2nd, 1902

Oregon Savings Bank---interest acquired by mortgage secured by trust deed executed by Sutter Creek Gold Co, on the Diana Guiliana, Kaybe and Summit quartz mines, in Volcano mining district; original and pres-ent value of trust deed \$200,000; dated Jan 2d, 1995.

wift and Keeler—A quartz mine in Vol-cano mining district, being in section 28 township 7 range 13, and engine and other improvements... Scharff, J C-a tract of land being south rff, IC—a tract of land being south half of southwest quarter of south west quarter and southwest quarter of northwest of southeast quarter and west half of southeast quarter of northeast quarter of southeast quarter and northwest quarter of couthwest quarter of southeast southwest quarter of southeast quarter and west half of northeast

quarter of southwest quarter of southeast quarter, and east half of southeast quarter of of northwest quarter of southeast quarter of southeast quarter and west half of southeast quarter and west half of southeast quarter of southeast quarter of southeast quarter of southwest quarter of section 18 township 7 range 13, 70 acres, and a water right. choonmaker, I-a tract of land being the

and southeast quarter of northwest qr and southwest qr of northeast quarter of section 33 township a range 13, 160 acres, and personal

Taylor, A L .-- a tract of land being the south half of northwest quarter of southwest quarter of section 2 township 8 range 11, 20 acres, and mining right under surface of north half of northwest quarter of southwest quarter of section 2 township 7 range 11, 20 acres......

Tearkoff Mining Co-a quartz mine known as the Tearkoff in Pioneer mining district near West Point ... Tyler, J W-a parcel of land being frac tion of northwest quarter of south-west quarter of section 32 township 7 range 12, 5 acres ...

Van Buren, L—a tract of land being the north half of south half of section 8 township 7 range 13 160 acres..... Walker, RC—a house and lot in Pine Grove, being lot 1 block 4

Wiley, Mary E-a tract of land being the

Werley, J H-a house and lot in Pine Grove being lot 7 block 13..... Wetmore, Anna—a tract of land being the south half of northwest quarter and west half of northeast quarter of section 27 township 7 range 13, 160

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Township Four.

Bayha Geo-a tract of land being a fractional part of section 5, town-ship 6, range 11, 63 acres, and south half of southwest quarter ofsection 33, township 7, range 11 80 acres; and southwest, quarter of section 4 township 6 range 11, 160 acres Buffington, Mrs. D—A lot in Sutter Creek, being lot 24 block 22......

Donovan, J F—a house and lot in Sut-ter Creek being lot 15 block 6 Eclipse Mining Co—TheEclipse quartz mine, in Amador City mining dlstrict, and designated as lot No 73, in section 36 township 7 range 10; and the Eclipse Extension quartz mine, in Amador City of northeast quarter of section 8 township 7 range 9, 150 acres, and that certain ditch known as the Amador and Sacramento Canal, conveying watertfrom the Cosumnes river at a point near Music Dale on south side of said river to Michigan Bar in Sacramento county, and all flumes, dams and reservoirs connected therewith

Ralph, Mrs E—realty near Amador City, being the eastern portion of house and lot at Bunker Hill mine, and personal property.... Smith, Valentine—a tract of land being northwest quarter of southwest quarter of section 13 township 8 range 10, and east half of southeast quarter and southeast quarter of northeast quarter of section 14 township 8 range 10, 160 acres.

Showel, Kate and E T Morris—A parcei of land being the north half of southeast quarter of southwest quarter of section 28 township 7 range 9, 20 acres

Slavich, Peter—a house and lot in Plymouth, being lot 5 block 25, and house and lot being lot 6 block 25

Seymour, Mrs A--A lot in Plymouth being lot 10 block 16 Turner, Alice M-The Pension placer mine being in northwest quarter of northwest quarter of section 25 township 8 range 9, 17

White Mountain Mining Co — The Mountain quartz mine in Drystown mining district, and designated as lot No 43, in north half of section 19 township 7 range

Thomas, Wm-A house and lot in Ply-mouth lot 2 block 22

Williams, $JH \rightarrow \Lambda$ house and lot in Plymouth being lot 4 block 20 ... Wentworth, B & S Co-A tract of land being the northwest quarter of northeast quarter and northeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 28 township 7 range 9, 80 acres

Wilson.Francis—A tract of land being fraction of west half of northwest quarter of section 26 township seven, range 10, and northeast quarter of southeast quarter and southeast quarter of northeast quarter and fraction north half of northeast quarter of section 27 township 7 range 10, 145 acres.

Stahl, S. S., and F. J. Taylor—Interest created by mortgage executed by Western Pennsylvania Gold Min-ing Co on northwest quarter of southwest quarter (containing 40 acres) section 36 township 8 range 10, original and present value of mortgage \$10,000, dated Nov 9th, 1903, to run 9 years

Wheeler, S.C.-A tract of land, being a fractional part of northeast quarter of southwest quarter and fract northwest quarter of southeast quarter and fract south half of southeast quarter and all of southeast quarter of southwest quarter section 36 township 6 range 10, 125 acres, and personal property.

Zenith Mining Co-The Zenith quartz mine in Plymouth mining dis-trict in section 4 township 7 range 10, 20 acres, and ten stamp mill on same .. Zibilitch, John—a house and lot in Plymouth, being lot 1 block 25, and lot in Plymouth being lot 2 block 25, and lot in Plymouth, be-ing lot 3 block 25, and personal

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Greased pole Ira Smith climbed it. Egg race -Sarah Fairchilds won.

Wheelbarrow race-Ira Smith won. Ten-minute race-Ira Smith first noney, Paul Winter second.

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For an artificial rubber a German authority recommends mixing an like ordinary porcelain is obtained. infusion of Carragheen moss with If the powder has been washed with starch, and drying on a slight oiled sulphuric acid, a porous asbestos metal plate. When the transparent porcelain of pale yellowish or white Relay race-Paul and Arthur Win- sheet produced is broken up, it color results when the molded articles ter, Laurence Prouty and Wesley softens in cold water, and on sub- are kept for 18 hours at 1200 degrees sequent heating it forms a thick C. gummy substance, which may be A continuous change in altitudes in used for thickening paint or for many mountainous regions, especially in of the purposes of rubber.

Is a national matrimonial bureau been noted by M. de Varigny, as a among the reforms to be proposed by Swiss geologist. Many villages in president Roosevelt. Expert opinion the canton Valais and in the Bernese seems to regard it as already proven | Oberland have been raised or lowered that more scientific selection of from 12 to 30 feet in the last six husband and wife canont fail to pro- years, and the summits of mountains duce a more virile and higher type of have undergone changes quite as American men and women.

is the mud-skipper or jumping fish of chief cause of the phenomenon, or at the large rivers of India and the least they accompany it, while they Will Downey and Tracy Clifton neighboring sea-coasts. At ebb tide produce avalanches in number now divided first money and Jim Amick these little fishes leave the water to increasing. hunt for tiny crabs, flies, etc., and The slow horse race won by Fred their strong pectoral and ventral fins, to operate more certainly and scienaided by their tail, enable them to tifically than the ancient and dis-The greased pig race was declared move about easily and to climb upon honored twig, has been devised by off, on account of the condition of trees, grass and leaves. With their Adolph Schmid, a Swiss engineer. It the pig, resulting from his being tied huge eyes, seeming to project far out seems to consist essentially of a glass of the sockets, they can see as well covered box enclosing a coil of in-Best designed float-Preston School, on the land as in the water. They sulated wire in which a slightly progress in short, quick leaps, effect- magnetized needle is free to rotate Best decorated private rig-Mrs J. ed by sharply bending the rear third over a graduated dial. When the M. Amick, second best Mrs Addie of the body to the left and suddenly apparatus is placed over subterranean straightening it. In color they are water, with the axis of the coil in the Best sustained character in horri- usually light brown with dark bands, magnetic meridian, the needle, it is though they sometimes appear light asserted, oscillates more or less green. They are easily caught, and rapidly for 2 to 10 and even up to 50 are much used in Burma for live bait, degrees.

Lead wool, a new British product for packing water pipes, consists of very small ribbons of lead, out by patented machinery in lengths of three feet. Hemp or yarn is first pressed into the socket, and then the strand of lead wool is twisted in and well caulked at each turn until the whole space is tightly packed with a mass of lead. It is claimed that the joint is stronger and more satisfactory than when closed by the usual troublesome method of running in molten lead.

The asteroids or minor planets, of which nearly 600 have been recorded since the beginning of the nineteenth century, have been supposed to form a ring in the space between the orbits A singular condition, known as of Mars and Jupiter. One discovered on Feb. 22, of this year, however, has main distance from the sun being 5.25 distance - 6,151 - exceeds that of

> Of 30 accidents from electric shocks in Switzerland last year, 21 were accident were from currents of 250

Asbestos porcelain, the new materthe word blind an English teacher ceedingly fine powder; this is made has devised a specal series of read into a paste with water, and after repeated kneadings the mass is poured shaped are heated in a crucible to 1700 degrees C., a transparent product

the Swiss and Austrian Alps, has

great. The numerous slight earth-One of the queerest of odd creatures quakes are suspected of being the

An electrical divining rod, claimed

Jayres Tonic Vernifuge gives rosy cheeks and active health to pale, sickly children. And it is good for their elders, too.

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Bawden, J E-A house and lot in Sut-ter Creek, being lot 27 block 2....

Pulich, John—a lot in Plymouth being lot 3 block 30..... Richardson, H M — The Atlantle quartz mine in Drytown mining district and described as lot 96 in sections 13 and 24 township 7 Reeves, Thos R-A!house and lot in Plymouth, being lot 6 block 18, and personal property.....

Ritter. Mrs Jennie—A tract of land, being the east half of southeast being the east half of southeast quarter of southwest quarter and southwest quarter of southeast quarter and west half of south-east quarter of southeast quarter and west half of east half of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 5 township 7 range 9, 80 acres, and east half of northeast quarter of section 7 township 7 range 9, 80 acres, and north half of north-west quarter and northwest quar-ter of northeast quarter and west half of northeast quarter of northeast quarter and west half of east half of northeast quarter of

100-yard dash for boys-Frank Al-

Pole vault-Won by Ray Scott, at

Hurdle race-Won by Loren Bagley. Barrel race-Paul Winter won.

Boys' race-Irwin Sibole. Girls' race-Muriel Amick. Shoe race-Paul Amick.

took second money.

bles-Paul Amick, second best band.

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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

Official Paper of Amador co. FRIDAY..... JULY 13, 1906

We want a local correspondent in every town in the county. To any one who will regularly send us the happenings in his or her locality, we will not only send the Ledger, but a daily San Francisco paper, and other reading matter, as well as supply the correspondent with all necessary stationery and stamps for correspondence. We must have a live Now who will volunteer for this

Congressman Gillett is making a tour of the southern part of the state. to size up the situation politically. He annoucnes that he is not to be considered, under any circumstance, a candidate for renomination to congress. He is after the gubernatorial plum, and nothing else. It is that or nothing with him. And there is no question that he has considerable strength behind him, whether sufficient to land the prize is a moot point. It is hardly probably that any candidate will come anywhere near having a majority at the outset. The prospect for a stubborn and prolonged fight are excellent, if such a scrimmage can be fitly designated by such an expression. There are at least six candidates spoken on the republican side, namely, Pardee, Gillett, Porter, Hayes, Gage and Edson, with others in the background. If a bitter contest ensues, creating animosities that will be likely to exert a potent influence upon the success of the leading candidates, a compromise candidate may be trotted out, satisfactory to all the warring elements.

Joint Installation.

Installation of officers of Ursula Parlor, No. 1, N. D. G. W. and Excelsior Parlor, No. 31, N. S. G. W. on Tuesday evening, July 10. D. D. Grand President, Allie Johnson, of Chispa Parlor, Ione, installed the Schroeder, D. D. G. President, installed the officers of Excelsior parlor. The officers installed of Ursula Parlor

President, Annie Perovich; 1st. vice president, Flora Gilbert; 2d. vice president, Adalina Burgin; 3rd. vice president, Kate Driscoll; recording secretary, Emma F. Boarman; financial secretary, Lena J. Podesta; treasurer, Dooley Sanguinetti; marshal, Amelia Schacht; inside sentinel. Mary Morrow; outside sentinel, Mary Doyle; trustees, Annie Jackson, Margaret Kirkwood, Ella Caminetti; organist, Rose Podesta; physicians, A. M. Gall, E. E. Endicott and L. Phillips.

Officers of Excelsior Parlor were installed as follows: Past president, Ernest Lemin; president, Thos. Joy; 1st. vice president, J. A. Soları; 2d. vice president. Wm. T. Jones; 3rd. vice president, A. L. Stewart; recording secretary, John R. Huberty; financial secretary, Wm. Going; treasury, Geo. A. Kirkwood; marshal, Geo. E. Vela; trustee, R. C. Rust.

The following literary and amusement program was presented: Address by president, Annie Perovich; selection Mokelumne river in 13-6-12. tion by Mandolin club; vocal solo, Miss Lottie Devan; instrumental solo, Rose Podesta; vocal solo, Mr river in 13-6-12. Batalia; remarks by Judge R. C. Rust; vocal solo, Miss Eva Leak; remarks by grand secretary, Laura J. Frakes; remarks by D. D. G. P., Allie Johnson; selections on graphophone by Dr. A. M. Gall.

School Teachers Appointed.

At the meeting of school trustees last Saturday was the earliest opportunity at which teachers for the en-

ing appointments. virtue of increase in census of child Volcano; Fred Molfino, Oakland; ren, the extra teacher selected is Miss Mrs Gambie, Palo Alto. Clorinda Cassinelli of Volcano.

Miss Carrie M. Badaracco.

Pioneer.-Miss Gerodine McGraw Miss M Shilling, Oleta; Miss Wheeler, of San Francisco; school commences Plymouth; Chas Ludwig, Paloma;

Union.-Miss Agnes M. Raab. Oneida. - Miss Minnie Payne, Miss McNaughton, Miss Sweeney, Rachel Goldner.

Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining in post office. Jaun Abiemedo, Felice Benedetti, Mrs E M Markins, Amador City; Miss Nelan Bliss, Crstopol Bijelovich Mrs Riley, Miss Johnson, Miss (2), G. Garbarino, B. Griffith, Mrs C Heffren, Miss Miller, Ione; Frank Lavgley, Edward Pecoraro, Ricchetto Cuneo, Chico; V Bonefoy, San Fran-Merre, Battista Sardella, John Shecisco; Milton Burris, Defender; Bert hady, Miss M Vlaovich, Javo Vujovic, Williams, Amador City; S Row, Ciotilda Botron, (paper).

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The spasm for Sunday observance correspondent at every point, even if at Louisville, Ky., has resulted in a we have to pay cash for such service. determination to prosecute the publisher of Sunday papers there. These ley, Noce, Thomas. 1st base on balls spasms occur at intervals all over the country, from New England to Cali- Arditto 2, off Boro 2. Left on base tornia, and the result is always trouble, quarreling and expense. The spasm usually lasts three or four by Lagomarsino 5. Wild pitchmonths; then the towns afflicted drift Arditto 1. Innings pitched-By Boro back into their old habits. It's a pity that laws are adopted that cannot be enforced, for the tendency is to create contempt for the law generally .- Atchieson Globe.

DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

[The following instruments have been filed or record in the recorder's office since our last eport. We publish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to any request to suppress any document these columns. Don't ask us to do so.!

Deeds.-Isaac Lepley to R. P. Jackson - 1 1 5 0 0 0 0 0-Leply, lot 15 block 1, Amador City, Amador - 5 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 9-16

Thomas H. Peek et ux to Christian A. Meiss, jr., part of lot 36 block 10, Jackson, \$10.

E. T. Bamert to F. C. Bamert, an undivided one-third interest in 560 acres in 33-5-9. \$10. Pietro D. Maggiora to Robert J.

Christianson, part of lot 20 block 3, Amador City, \$360. 160 acres in 14-8-10, 2-5 interest in light the fire to prepare the evening

3 and 4 block 28, Plymouth, \$10.

son, \$10. Joseph Kidd et ux to Luoi Villi- She ran outside screaming, and threw borghi et ux, 10 acres near Ione, \$10. herself on the ground to extinguish Vicini, lot 8 block 11, Sutter Creek, extinguished she had received terrible

John Levaggi to Mrs Mary E. Trena- the following day. The funeral was the officers of Ursula Parior, and Wm. man, lot 3 block 9, Sutter Creek, \$ 100. conducted on Monday last, H. E. B. F. Taylor et ux to Walter Taylor, Potter of Plymouth, being the under part of lot 2 block 1, Jackson, \$1000. Trust Deed .- American River Electric Co. to Union Trust Co., all property in Amador and El Dorado counties, \$1,000,000, to be paid on or before 1933 with interest at 5 per cent per annum; also recorded as a mortgage and chattel mortgage.

> Satisfactions of Mortgages-Bank of Amador county to Laswell. Taylor to Blair.

Mortgages.-Clark Courtright et ux to U. F. Elledge, 160 acres in 25-6-10 and 31-6-11, \$1350 for two years at 8 per cent per annum.

Luoi Villiborghi et ux to W. R. Kidd, 10 acres near lone, \$500 for three years at 9 per cent per annum. Mrs Emily V. Blair to B. F. Taylor,

lot 8 block 5, Jackson, \$450 for one year at 81/4 per cent per annum. Satisfaction of Chattel Mortgages .-

Muldoon to French. Muldoon to Heffren.

Reconveyance. - David Mattly, jr., et al to Clark Courtright, 160 acres in 25-6-10 and 31-6-11, \$1.

Water Rights. - The California Stor ed Waters Co., locates 50,000 inches

The California Stored Waters Co., locate 50, 000 inches on Mokelumne

Hotel Arrivals.

National. - Philornend Hagan, Volcano; D M Hartigan, May; A W Drummond, J Nossen, A J Cohen, T F Glenn, E Kirkpatrick, Sacramento; Bert Lovell, H Vanorden, San Francisco; Isabelle Finni, Los Angeles; Mrs L. Story, Missouri; Joe Bush, Sacramento; Daisy M Shinner, Coulterville; J A Montesuing term could be selected in the M Sherwood, Stockton; F C Hamvarious districts. From unofficial mond, Sacramento; Miss Hammond, Miss Tulloch Oakdale,; C F Quingly, Jackson-All the teachers of last J F Kerfoot, D Fraser, Sutter Creek; term retained namely, W. H. Green- O E Martin, Amador City; A E halgh, principal; Miss Alice E. Gart-Banks, J J Ruttledge, W L Cochan, lin, Miss Anna M. McLaughlin, Miss San Francisco; Wm McLane, De-Mary Bernecich, Miss Margaret fender; J S Williams, Denver; M Devan, Miss Agnes E. Newman, Miss Clooney, Oakland; F Moran, W D Nettie E. B. Morrow. Jackson being Curtis, Burt Warren, Sacramento; entiteld to one more teacher, by J A Bittel, Chico; E D Boydston,

Globe.-W E Parkerford, J Berge, Aetna.-Miss Kate J. Driscoll, and San Francisco; J F Hoffman, Stockton; David Foppoinna, Augeles; Pine Grove. - Miss Ethel H. March. Chas Corin and wife, Campo Seco; John Muldoon, Ione; W Dennis, Sutter Creek; A Jones, Pine Grove; Sutter Creek; M P Werry, Electra; Miss V McLaughlin, Volcano; W Amick, Ione; A Grillo, Volcano; W H Glenn and wife, Defender; Miss Mullen, Ione; W Rose, Sutter Creek;

An interesting game of baseball was witnessed by a large concourse of convicted of the murder of A. N. spectators last Sunday, on the Jack- McVicar in Stockton on the 23d of son diamond, between the Jackson March, last Monday was the day fixed ion. and Amador City teams, the former by the superior court of San Joaquin proving triumphant with a score of county, for passing sentence upon Company. - Trial continued until July 16 to 7. The complete score was: ab r bh sb sh po a e

Rugne, rf - - 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 namely, the penalty of death. The 4 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 court room was again crowded with Thomas, 1st b - 4 2 2 2 0 9 0 the morbidly curious, the women Tubbs, ss - - 5 1 2 1 0 1 4 2 greatly predominating. Mrs Ledonx Fortner, 3b & c 5 1 0 2 0 3 2 1 appeared attired in black, and seemed Hartley, 1 f - 4 1 2 1 0 0 0 0 Arditto, 2b & p 4 2 0 2 0 2 2 2 worn out, but still self-possessed and Bowers, c & 3b 4 0 1 1 0 9 3 1 dignified in bearing. She was repre-Boro, p & 2b - 4 0 1 1 0 1 2 0

ab r bh sb sh po a Brignole, 2d h 3 3 1 2 0 5 2 1 White, 3d b - 4 2 2 1 0 1 1 1 table before her as if to support Cavagnaro, c - 5 2 3 1 0 10 2 0 legal cause why judgment should not Lagmarsino, If, p 5 2 2 2 0 3 Kerr, 1st b - 4 2 1 1 0 8 0 1 fendant resumed her seat. The attor-Pierce, s s - - 5 2 0 1 0 0 3 3 ney thereupon made a motion for a Noce, rf - - 5 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 new trial, alleging misconduct on

SUMMARY.

Home Run-Cavagnaro. Two-basehits-Lagomarsino, Cavagnaro, Hart--Off Adams 1, off Lagomarsino 4, off mitting the defendant to introduce -Amador 8, Jackson 5, Struck outby Boro 8, by Arditto 1; by Adams 3, 8, by Arditto 1, last innings Adams 3, Lagomarsiono 5. Passed balls-Cavagnaro 2, Bowers1. Hit by pitched bali-Brignole 2, White, Shannon. Double play-Vela to Arditto. Earned runs-Amador 9, Jackson 5. Time of game-1 hour and 45 minutes. Umpire-Wm. Arditto, scorer-R. W.

RUNS BY INNINGS. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought Chart Fletcher.

Fatally Burned.

A deplorable case of tatal burning happened at Latrobe on Friday last, the victim being a bright girl named James O'Brien to Mary O'Brien, Emily Julia Muller. She started to Rising Star mine near Plymouth, lots meal, and resorted to the dangerous practice of using coal oil for this pur-William D. Laswell to Henry E. pose. In pouring the oil on the fire, Stowers, part of lot 2 block 2, Jack- the contents of the can ignited and exploded, setting fire to her clothing. Francis A. Vicini to Stephen B. the flames, but before they were burns, and died of her injuries on taker. The unfortunate victim was

> 14 years, 6 months, and 14 days old. Something doing on the 18th.

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lbs. Pure Baking Powder ___ 2.50 \$9.00 Mason Fruit Jars, Pints. ___45c doz.

Mason Fruit Jars, Quarts. 55c doz. Mason Fruit Jars, ½ Gal. 70c doz. Hand-made Fruit Cans All of our cans are made in our wn shop and are free from poison.

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The Le Doux Case.

the convicted prisoner. There was 16.

one possible sentence to pronounce

under the form of verdict rendered-

pale, and shrunken in features, and

sented by Attorney Fairall. C. H.

Crocker was not present, he having

business to attend to in San Andreas.

When Judge Nutter ordered Mrs

Ledoux to stand up, she rose to her

feet, placing her hands upon the

herself. The court asked if she had

be pronounced. At this point attor-

ney Fairall interposed; and the de-

the part of the jury, errors of the

letters belonging to the accused; the

prejudice of officials entrusted with

the duty of summoning jurors; also

the ruling of the court in not per-

evidence disproving motive, and in-

troduction of evidence relative to a

bigamous marriage. A sensation was

created when the attorney introduced

two affidavits tending to show pre-

judice on the part of at least one

juror, August C. Ritter. One affidavit

was sworn to by Charles F. Murphy,

a colored person, 19 years of age.

"Charles F. Murphy, being first

duly sworn on oath deposes and says,

I am 19 years of age and reside at

Stockton. I have known August C.

Doux, in the above entitled cause,

for a period of two years; that after

the said August C. Ritter was selected

and sworn as a juror in said cause.

and while said cause was being tried

in the above court, and before the

taking of testimony had been closed

and the cause submitted to said jury,

affiant met said August C. Ritter in

the courthouse of San Joaquin county

and asked him what about the wo-

man, referring to the defendant above

named, and said August C. Ritter

The other affidavit read as follows:

"William H. Smith, on oath being

duly sworn, states that he is well acquainted with August C. Ritter,

one of the jurors in the above entitled

cause and one of the jurors who tried

said defendant, Emma Le Doux, and

mission of the offense charged against

the defendant and prior to the time

to affiant: 'I believe that woman,

referring to defendant, 'is guilty and

she ought to have her neck broke.

After said Ritter had been selected

as a juror, affiant met Ritter at City

Park, at the east end of Main street,

in Stockton, and was told by said

Kitter that he was down there sweat-

ing on the Le Doux jury. Affiant

then said, 'How can you serve as a

juror in that case,' and Ritter said

Well, I am there', and nothing

The affidavits staggered the court,

mainly no doubt in the audacity in-

volved in their presentation. Under

the instruction of the court the jurors

were not allowed to talk about the

case either among themselves or to

outsiders during the trial; to attempt

to converse about the case to a juror

was contempt of the court, and yet

two men came forward and admitted

that they had actually talked with

Ritter about the case. Ritter, it

seems, is not in the state at the pre-

sent time. He is somewhere in the

east on a visit to his mother, and

hence it will be some time before he

will be able to answer the charges

made against him. Judge Nutter at

once ordered citations to issue, com-

manding the affidavit makers, Murphy

and Smith to appear on Tuesday to

show cause why they should not be

punished for contempt of court. The

court ordered them to pay a fine of

\$100 each and be imprisoned for two

The hearing of motion for new trial

was continued until Ritter can be

Caution to Water Consumers.

To stop the wastage of water during

the night, all consumers are hereby

prohibited from using water for

sprinkling or irrigating after 9 o'clock

p. m. Persons found allowing water

to run after that hour will be liable

to have the supply cut off for all

purposes. And a charge will be made

turned on again. I am compelled to

adopt this rule, because the wastage

lately has been so great, that it has

been impossbile to keep the tank full

at night for protection against fire.

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Jackson, July 13, 1906-3t.

in order to have the domestic supply

heard in his own behalf.

more. "

found her guilty; that after the com-

replied: "I will hang the --,

referring to the defendant."

35 East Main street, in the city of

It read as follows:

court in its rulings, illegal seizure of

SUPERIOR COURT. HON. R. C. RUST. JUDGE. In the case of Mrs Emma Le Doux, G. B. Vicini vs. Annie Allen .-Defendant's demurrer was argued and submitted to the court for its decis-

T. A. Chichizola vs. O. E. Martin.

Estate of C. W. Trotter.-Hearing

Estate of Gideon Devore.-Hearing

on citation to show cause continued

Estate of Antone Buvonich. - Hear-

ing of return of sale of real estate to

Estate of James Kittridge.-G. M.

Huberty petitions for letters. Set

Estate of James Kittridge.-G. M.

A. Hall became indebted to plaintiffs

in the sum of \$165 for money advanc-

ed and expended by them on her

Fred Raab, owner of the Sutter

over Sutter creek, in such a manner

as to interfere with plaintiff's pro-

perty. The complaint alleges that

along the south side of Sutter creek,

stable; instead thereof they propose

to construct the wall at less distance

than six feet north of the old wall,

which would cut off access to and

permanent came up for hearing in

stated that the differences had been

Ledger and Chicago Week'y Inter-

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

refund money if Pazo Ointment fail

New Idea Club stunts, July 18.

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-Trial continued until July 16.

on final account continued.

A. Buvonich, set for July 21.

until July 14.

July 14.

for plaintiffs.

case, the said August C. Ritter said use of plaintiff's property and livery

for hearing July 21.

STONY CREEK ITEMS.

their hay in. James Kittridge, a resident of Stony Creek, died at the home of Clark Courtright last Saturday morn-O. E. Martin vs. Amador Lumber

Most people of this district have

Mrs N. A. Blume of San Francisco, is visiting a few weeks with Oscar Myer's family.

Miss Eda Fink of Elmira, is visiting Mamie Brown.

Eugene and Addie Myers are staying with friends in Antelope district. Mrs J. Ellis and daughter Mattie,

expect to go to the big trees soon. Jack Nash while riding a colt belonging to Robt. Ellis, was thrown and hurt about the head badly. Charley Johnson made a flying trip to San Francisco last week.

Frank Johnson expects to return to the city in a few days. Robt. Ellis has hauled all his hay. Huberty petitions for letters of ad- Woodbridge, are visiting Geo. Courtministration. Estate consists of 80 right's family.

A farewell party was given in honor of Mr and Mrs J. Parson, at the home of Geo. Morrow. acres of land about three miles southwest of Jackson, and personal property. Total value estimated at \$410. Miss Bertha Lasswell has been stay-There are no relatives in this state ing with Mattie and Norma Muellier, so far as known, but deceased has a the past two or three weeks. H. M. sister in Michigan. July 21 set for

R. I. Kerr on the proper column formally announces his candidacy for Estate of I. N. Frisbee.-Hearing the office of county clerk, subject to of petition for letters continued until the action of the democratic convention. He has been clerk at the Estate of E. L. Rugne.-Hearing of Kennedy mine for two years, and is petition for letters continued until unquestionably well qualified for the position to which he aspires. If a democrat is to fill that place, we W. Jarman and wife vs. W. H. would as soon see him there as any-Steffler, executor of estate of Mary A. one. We hope, however, that a qualified republican will be able to Hall, deceased .- The complaint sets out that within two years past, Mary

Ledger & Chicago Inter-Ocean, \$2.50

Drowned in Sacramento.

succeed the present incumbent.

account. Defendant died April, 1905; that the claim for \$100 on account of B. O. Burres, brother of Dr. W. T. such claim was presented to the Burres, who formerly practiced medi executor and by him rejected. For a cine in this city, probably committed further cause complaint alleges that Mary A. Hall, was at the time of her Friday, by drowning himself in the suicide while temporarily insane last death indebted to plaintiffs in the sum of \$460, for work and labor in Francisco earthquake he came to Sacramento river. After the San Ritter, who was one of the jurors in nursing, caring for, and sewing done Stockton, later going to Sacramento. the trial of the defendant, Emma Le by plaintiffs for her. On Febru-He was 28 years old and leaves a ary 23, 1906, they presented said mother, Mrs. C. W. Ward of San claim to the executor, which was re-Francisco; two sisters, Mrs L. M. jected. For further cause Mary A. Condy of Stockton and Mrs J. E. Hall was indebted to plaintiff for Sheldon of San Francisco, and two board and lodging in the sum of \$280, brothers W. A. Burres of Sutter which claim was also rejected. Suit Creek and Dr. W. T. Burres. late of is therefore brought to recover the Peru, South America. Interment several amounts, and costs of suit. will be made at Gilroy.-Stockton Kain and Whitehurst are attorneys Record.

BORN.

Creek livery stable, has commenced an injunction suit against the board BONAVICH-In Jackson, July 8, of supervisors, and Giovanni Levaggi 1906, to the wife of Michael Bonaand M. Levaggi, to enjoin them from vich, a son. GLAVOCICH-In Jackson, July 9, the construction of the new bridge

1906, to the wife of A. Glavocich, a

DIED.

plaintiff is the owner of the lot adjacent to said bridge; that the super-MULLER-At Latrobe, July 7, 1906, wisors agreed to place the masonry Emily Julia Muller, aged 14 years, abutment of said bridge six feet 6 months and 14 days. north and parallel with the old wall

KITTRIDGE-In Jackson, July 7, 1906, James Kittridge, a native of of his selection as a juror in said so as not to interfere with the free Maine, aged 75 years.

Notice of Assessment.

Jose Gulch Mining Company, from the livery stable. A temporary injunction was issued, and the matter law of the state of California, having of whether the same should be made its office and principal place of business at Butte Basin (Jackson post office), Amador county, California, the superior court last Monday. At and its property and works at the the time appointed, however, it was same place.

Notice is hereby given that, at a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Jose Gulch Mining amicably settled out of court, and the proceedings were thereupon dis-Cempany, held on the 2d day of July, 1906, an assessment of three (3) cents per share was levied on the subscribed capital stock of the above named corporation, payable on or before the 6th day of August, 1906, to the secretary of the said corporation, J. P. Little, at Butte Basin, (Jackson post ocean, both papers for one year, \$2.50 office), Amador county, California. Itching, blind, bleeding, protruding iles. Druggists are authorized to Any stock on which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 6th of August, 1906, will be delinquent and will be advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made of the assessment with accrued costs before the 4th day of September, 1906, said delinquent stock will be sold on that day (September 4th, 1906), to pay the delinquent assess-

> ing and expenses of sale.
>
> J. P. LITTLE,
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> Secretary of the Jose Gulch Mining Company.
> Office at Butte Basin, (Jackson post office), Amador county, California.

ment together with costs of advertis-

in the West and were called Slickers by the pioneers and cowboys. This graphic name has come into such general use that it is frequently though wrongfully applied to many substitutes. You want the genuine VANDERPOOL Look for the Sign of the Fish, and SOLD BY REPRESENTATIVE TRADE THE WORLD OVER. III A.J. TOWER CO., BOSTON, MASS., U.S. A. TOWER (ANADIAN CO., Limited TORONTO, CAN. Plymouth, Cal.

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of Sutter Creek, hereby announces himself as a candidate for COUNTY CLERK AND AUDITOR Subject to the action of the Republican

GEO. C. JENNINGS Of Drytown, hereby declares himself a can

COUNTY RECORDER

to the decision of the Republican County Convention. W. E. PROCTOR

Hereby announces himself a Candidate for SHERIFF

WM. G. SNYDER Announces himself as Candid ate

DISTRICT ATTORNEY Of Amador county, subject to the decision to the Republican local Convention.

ROBT. I. KERR Of Jackson, hereby announces himsel

as a candidate for COUNTY CLERK AND AUDITOR ubject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

Special Small Ads.

Advertisements under this head, not exceed ing 5 lines, will be inserted at 50c per mor 5 cents per line for less than one month.

A LL kinds of Blanks for U. S. Land Filings— Homestead, Timber and Mineral blanks— may be had at the Ledger office; also deeds mortgages, mining locations, proof of labor and other legal blanks kept for sale.

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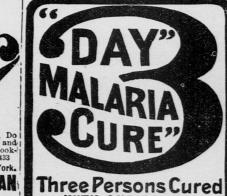
of Jackson, county of Amador, State of California for sale; also mining signals on cloth, graduation diplomas, at the

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For Sale Cheap .- One "Reliable" Gas Range four burners, baking and broiling oven. Also one Gas Water Heater. Inquire Mrs R. Crowell, Sutter Creek. m 18-1 m.

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Office of the Tax Collector
County of Amador, State of California,

OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE
taxpayers of Amador county, that I, T. K.
NORMAN, Tax Collector of Amador county,
did on the 10th day of October, 1905, receive
from the County Auditor of Amador county the
original assessment books for the year 1905,
containing a list of the persons assessed for
real and personal property, and the amount of
State and County taxes due thereon for said
year,

of Jackson, county of Amador, State of California.

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one half of the taxes on all real property were due and payable on the second Monday in October, 1995, and will be delinquent on the last Monday in Novembernext thereafter, at 6 o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and if said one half be not paid before the last Monday in April next, at 6 o'clock p. m. an additional five per cent will added thereto.

That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the first Monday in January next, and will be delinquent on the last Monday in April next thereafter, at 6 o'clock p m., and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first instalment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

First instalment, one half real estate and all.

Payable,
First instalment, one half real estate and all ersonal property, due October 10th, 1905.
First instalment, one half real estate and all ersonal property, delinquent November 27th, 905. at 6 o'clock p. m.

Second instalment, one-half real estate due January 4th, 1906. Second instalment, one half real estate, de-inquent April 25th. 1906, at 6 o'clock p. m. All the taxes may be paid in full at the time the first installment is due.

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LOCAL NEWS

Ice cream at P. Cuneo's to-morrow, and every day thereafter.

N. Harwood, who was well known to many in this county, especially around Amador City and Sutter, as he was president of the South Spring Hill Mining Company, and one of the heaviest stockholders in that concern, died at his home in Leominster, Massachusetts, the 30th of June last. He has visited Amador county several times, not only when the mine was in its bonanza days, but since it ceased running. He was in Amador City about four months ago. He was a in Massachusetts, and leaves a large

"The Chinn-Beretta Optical Co. are again sending their expert optician to Jackson. You can consult him at Ruhser's Pharmacy Thursday, July 19."

R. F. Phillips jr., a brother of Dr. L. E. Phillips, came up from San Francisco the first of this week, looking for horses to purchase. There is a great demand for horses in the clearing of debris from the burned district, and the demand is likely ing spell after eating lunch in the to continue long after the debris is removed, in the rebuilding operations.

Clarence Bradshaw of Pine Grove. went to San Francisco Tuesday morn ing to see the sights; also George

Robt. Kerr had the great misfortune of losing one of his fingers while at work Monday morning at the Keystone mine. In some way the skip ran over the fingers on the right hand, amputating one and badly injuring another.-Ione Enterprise.

Get the weak spots in your old naruess patched at Pete Piccardo's.

The office of the grand secretary of Native Daugthers of the Golden West has been removed from Geary street to 17 Scott street. San Francisco. Miss Frakes, having been granted a month's vacation, left for her parents' home in Sutter Creek last week .- Sacramento Union. When you wish the finest flavored

coffees and teas, remember that W. J. Nettle keeps only the best.

The Chinn-Beretta Optical Co. gives you the best workmanship in lenses and the most skilful of eye testing. They make regular trips here every few weeks, thus insuring satisfaction. Consult their optician at Ruhser's Pharmacy, Thursday, July 19.

The sprinkling cart purchased by the city of Jackson, is in Stockton. It came from the east, but on arrival in the Slough City it was found that it did not have the sprinkler attachment of the kind desired, and so it was detained in that city until the sprinklers could be sent from the factory in the east. It has been two or three weeks since the order was given, and the complete outfit ought to be here in a few days.

Louis Plasse, who came down from Silver lake Tuesday, confirms the reports previous circulated about the backwardness of the season in the mountains. He says there was about 2 feet of snow on the level in places. The places where the snow has about disappeared were bare of feed. The white mantle, under the warm spell was fast disappearing, and cattle men are starting to drive their bands arrangements are made. into the high altitudes. For backwardness the present season is without still is the best. a parallel for the past ten or fifteen

years at least. Steve Ferrari expected to start with near Silver lake yesterday -- the first, we believe, to break the way with recent reports the snow was five feet for a four horse team.

to six feet deep in the neighborhood of Blue lakes. State superintendent T. J. Kirk has by the top-notch wages offered. apportioned the sum of \$284.04 from

of the Ione high school. Mrs Mary D. Page Watson, who has left Monday last for Pacific Grove, to remain there for a short time, and from thence she goes to Dairy, a small town in New Hampshire.

CITY PHARMACY,

week to publish the delinquent tax list of Amador county. This publicalist of Amador county. This publication is in conformity with the law McGee repaired to the county jail, lie Early Risers are the most pleasant year the delinquent list must be of death. The document announcing settled with the tax collector since at least from forfeiture to the majesty quite a difference in the length of He was glad of course, but made no the members were present. There position. It will take the victim James McCauley in lone today. The this weighty annual story from the demonstrations of joy such as might were no applications or petitions

a favorite resort for pleasure seekers. Sutter Creek passed through town, grasped hands cordially. One party bound for Tabeaud on Electra as its objective point.

Mrs Opie Harper returned Saturday her brother and family in that city.

Lemons, oranges, and bananas constantly on hand at Nettle's Mkt.

Miss Hazel Hammack of Jackson, and Miss Elsie Kientz of Stockton, visited friends here Friday of last week, and attended the midsummer that day. Miss Hammack was the belle of the ball.-Galt Gazette. By the courtesy for Judge John F.

prominent manufacturer of worsteds passed by the recent special session of the state legislature. July 18. is the date: Love's hall the

place; midsummer concert the event;

of weeks ago, for Sacramento, has Oroville. Mrs Kent expects to join to parties in town. He also promised him there in a couple of weeks.

been suffering from a vomiting attack. which has been epidemic around here for some time, for several days. Tuesday he was overcome as above stated, and was taken outside, where he had a severe vomiting attack. He was assisted to the home of his brother, C. M. Meek, where he will receive all necessary care. He was able to be around next day, but carries a scar over his eye where he

See the Calathumpians on the 18th. Music and mirth on the 18th at

struck the floor when he fell in a

faint.

A crew of men have been employed by the Amador E. R. & L. Co., in putting in poles and wires for lighting the city, according to the contract recently awarded them by the city trustees. There are to be 75 incandescent lights scattered through the city, at \$75 per month. This will make \$900 per year for this item-or about one-tenth of the gross revenue

The bootblack stand in front of the Gem saloon—the last of obstructions on the street and sidewalk, was taken down Tuesday.

notified all places where gambling produced, which is not probable. was conducted, that banking games would no longer be tolerated within the city limits. Jackson is now on was brought to the county hospital

Club concert, on sale Monday, July tion at the hands of the county physi-

Official Map of Amador county, properly. revised and corrected up to 1904, on sale at the Ledger office. The only map of Amador county obtainable, Cody Spagnoli, daughter of S. G. \$10; unmounted and uncolored, \$5.

noli's drug store for several months, road, about a mile from the Spagnoli left Wednesday morning for Oakland, home. to remain. Utban Spagnoli has taken horse on the approach of a car from

R. F. Phillips, father of Dr. L. E.

his home in Oakland. Work horses command

stock this season. According to with a driver amounts to \$8 per day and conveyed her home. It was a teamsters contemplate leaving with extent of her injuries is not known, teams for the city shortly, attracted but it is believed she will be fully Mrs R. C. Rust and family left for

state school moneys, for the support San Francisco Thursday morning, seven weeks superintending the conto spend the summer season.

been around Jackson for several been visiting here, left for Oakland ed that work, and returned to Jackweeks looking after property interests, and other points yesterday morning son Wednesday. The mill was in For complete program of the concert

on July 18, see announcement else-

where in this paper.

THE STAPLES' MURDER CASE.

Judgment of Death Reversed by Supreme Court---A New Trial Ordered.

Wednesday morning, W. J. McGee, the attorney who has had charge of the case of F. N. Staples, on appeal before the supreme court, received a telegram from the clerk of that the privilege of selling lead pencils fell thirty-five feet. He fell head case of fire. had rendered a decision reversing the judgment of the lower court, and ordering a new trial. The case has been pending before the higher court since November last. It was argued and submitted in the early part of the year, and parties interested had been expecting a decision at any moment for several weeks. The long delay created an impression that the case was anything but a clear one from the prosecution's standpoint, and that a reversal was more than probable. Other murder cases submitted even after the Staples' case, had been decided, and in every instance the judgment of the trial court was upheld. The "hanging fire" in this particular case was taken to mean We make the second attempt this that a contrary decision would be the outcome in the Staples matter. On receiving the telegram, W. J.

passed by the special session of the and was at once admitted to the prelegislature, and provides that for this sence of the prisoner under sentence published between the 11th and 16th the glad tidings that the life of the of July. Some 75 taxpayers have defendant was relieved, temporarily the list appeared last month, making of offended law, was read to him. Tabeaud reservoir is fast becoming He simply remarked, "That's pretty of assessment, so the board adjourned Friday last two stage loads from let us shake on it," and the two the last meeting for equalization

tishing bent, and the other having the good news. Indeed, he would relief through the equalization board have been greatly surprised at any shows that property holders generally other outcome. He stated, that it are satisfied with their assessments. evening from Grass Valley, Nevada was only what he had expected all But the facts hardly warrant such an county, after spending a week with along when the matter was looked inference. The truth is the property into by disinterested and impartial holders as a rule, are not aware of men. He was asked if he wanted to the valuation set upon their property send word to his friends, and he for assessment purposes, until the answered 'yes.' Two telegrams were time comes to pay taxes, when it is written out, announcing merely that the court had granted a new trial. they have in most cases the state-One was sent to defendant's father, ments handed in to the assessor to go in Farmington, Maine, and the other by, and the valuation of the precedball given in Galt on the evening of to Mrs Emily Maud Hoxie, who was ing year. There certainly ought to indicted with the defendant for com- be some provision made by law for plicity in the murder of Mrs Staples, informing property holders on this for which the husband was convicted. vital matter prior to the meeting of Davis, we are in receipt of a copy This was sent to Placerville, where the board. Not for many years has of the Amendments to the Codes Mrs Hoxie is engaged in the millinery the equalization board of Amador

defendant held a sort of levee in jail ing for equalization purpose is mainly in the evening, and received con- a mere matter of formality. 50c and 75c the price. Everybody gratulations from visitors, male and female. We are able to say that noth-L. A. Kent, who left here a couple ing of the kind occurred. Staples is quite handy as a sketch artist. He had secured a position as carpenter at made some pictures and given them samples of his handicraft in this line Geo. Flumer left Monday morning to others. According to prior arto look at the ruins of San Francisco. rangement three ladies called Wed-local church. For several days the nesday evening for these pictures. secret plans were being formed, and do with the appeal proceedings, and had no bearing on the news of the

The reversal of the judgment of conviction was fully anticipated by most people. Notwithstanding, it was one of the longest and costliest trials ever held in Amador county, any other decision by the appellate court would have proved a sore disappointment and surprise to the people generally. The feeling was abroad that Staples ought to have a new trial. That the crime had not been fastened upon him to the extent of warranting the taking of human

The full text of the supreme court moment. It is of much interest to July. know on what particular ground the reversal of the Amador court is based. It is generally supposed that the support the verdict is the main

If this should prove to be the point Monday night city marshal Jackson other and stronger evidence can be

George Peterson, of Sutter Creek, Reserved seats for the New Idea He was subjected to quite an opera-

Pioneer Flour always has been and striking the vehicle, throwing Miss son's family, left Sunday morning for carried quite a distance from where Saturday morning. his sister was thrown out. He re per paired to the spot, and found her head per day in San Francisco, which unconscious. He secured assistance, Several long time before she came to. The

Jos. Garbarini, who has been for struction of a sawmill at Railroad Mrs Electa Kay and sister, who has Flat, Calaveras county, has completgood running order when he left.

recovered in a few days.

DeWitt's Witch Salve For Piles, Burns, Sores.

CITY TRUSTEES.

The board of trustees of the city of

Minutes of last meeting were ap-

was approved and ordered filed. Thomas Williams, a cripple appear-

tribunal announcing that the court with out having to take out a license. foremost, but it is supposed that his regard to garbarge cans was received. the file of unfinished business.

> reported favorably on the claim of head, and were actually dangling point on the mother lode. For some Garbarni Bros. for \$11.10, which was over his shoulder. His contact with lifteen years the work of development laid over from last meeting.

make arrangements for watering same. He was nonplused for a moment at

hree days without a license. Adjourned to July 19.

Does woe betide? Your thoughts abide on suicide?

You need a pill! and reliable pills known to-day. They never gripe. Sold by F. W.

Board of Equalization.

The supervisors met as a board of equalization on Monday last. All the hairy appendage to its rightful be expected of one in his predicment. either for an increase or decrease good." The attorney said, "Well, to meet again Monday next, which is purposes. One would reasonably Staples was not a surprised man at suppose that this failure to ask for too late to seek relief. It is true, county had business of any magni-It was circulated around that the tude to transact. The annual meet-

A Suprised Parson.

Last Saturday evening the Methodist parsonage was the scene of a most delightful surprise party, the occasion being the birthday of Rev. C. E. Winning, the pastor of the friendly possession of the parsonage and a most delightful evening was Vorlander, who died nearly a year enjoyed. Rev. Winning has been almost two years in Jackson and his his property to relatives in Germany, denomination, and they all wish for him many happy birthdays. The party was well planned and well in the vicinity of Middle Bar on the carried out, and was much more of

surprise than is usually the case. There has never been a more cordial relation between the people of Jackson and the Methodist pastor than now exists, and the birthday of Mr Winning gave the community an feeling to the delight and satisfaction of all concerned. We do not know decision has not been received. We Mr. Winning's age, but he will be will print it at the earliest possible one year older on the seventh of next

Change of Mail Service.

There is much complaint at the inherent weakness of the evidence to north end of the county-Drytown and Plymouth particularly-on account of the new mail schedule, that went into effect on the first of the on which the reversal hinges, it is month. Mail matter from Jackson the prevailing opinion that it will be for these towns, instead of going conclusive of the whole matter. It direct as heretofore, now goes to would be useless to go to trial again lone, and thence to Carbondale, and in the face of such a decision, unless is there taken by stage with San Francisco and eastern mail to Plymouth, arriving there about five clock in the evening. Whereas, under the old schedule, letters and papers from Jackson left every mornits good behavior, and the gambler is last Thursday, suffering from a broken ing about seven and reached Plyjaw, caused in some manner unknown. | mouth about 10 a. m. The present arrangement is therefore seven hours loss in the time of delivery of mail 16, at 9 o'clock a. m., at the City cian yesterday, to secure the tracturifrom points along the mother lode ed bone in place so as to unite from Jackson to Amador City. The Word was received by Mrs Glavino for carrying the mail between Jackand sold exclusively at the Ledger Spagnoli, was severly injured by be- route was decided upon. The Ledger office. Price, mounted and colored, ing run into by a street car. She was printed Friday afternoon, if sent by face, cutting the scalp, and face out in a buggy with her brother Ben the regular route, would reach Ply- badly. His injuries are not consider-Chas. Righter, druggist at Spag- Spagnoli, driving on the San Pablo mouth Saturday evening. To accom-In trying to control the to send the bundles for Plymouth and attention in their dressing. He will Drytown by Steiner's stage, which be laid up for some time. his place in the store, until other the front, the lines became entangled, leaves early Saturday morning, and resulting in another car from the rear in that way the papers will reach subscribers the same time as former-Spagnoli out. The horse ran away ly. For all points on the mother some distance. Bennie was also lode south of Drytown the Ledgers Phillips, after a short visit with his bruised up considerably, and was will arrive Friday evening, instead of

Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar s the original laxative cough syrup to relieve the cough and purge the system of cold. Contains no opiates. Sold by F. W. Ruhser.

FOR SALE-440 acres, land near Oleta known as George Yager ranch, under fence, plenty of water, good house and barn. Information given by G. J. Yager, Ione, Cal. Don't forget the concert July 18.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Scalped in the Mine.

The Gwin mire was the scene of a

much in the manner of the misfor-Quarterly report of the city clerk sustained. Frank Lorko is the name purposes, for the protection of the of the unfortunate miner. He was working alone in one of the stopes. mine. As there is considerbale presed before the board and asked for In some way he lost his footing, and sure this will afford a good supply in The skul: was not fractured in the least, but both skull and scalp nad to be washed thoroughly of the coating of rock and dirt, which they had recovered to tackle underground operations again.

A Decided Improvement. This week workmen under the supervision of trustee Garbarini, have removed all the wood planks in front of several business places on the east side of Main street that prostreet proper. These extensions were placed so as to enable persons to lounge there, without interfering with passenger travel on the sidewalks. As the chairs had to go, these projections for the chairs to rest upon also had to go. Main street is rid of these unsightly wooden additions from one end to the other. While on this subject it is well to notice that there are several cement projections remaining, which are as serious a menace to the proper maintenance of the street as the planks that have been taken away. They obstruct the drainage, and gutter way, and while they are tolerated it is impossible to secure a proper drainage of the street. These should go also. There will still be the telephone and electric poles to obstruct but as these are there by right conferred by the supervisors, we presume they have to remain.

Yorlander Estate Closed.

J. H. Langhorst and his attorney day to settle the affairs of the administration of the estate of Richard ago in Mokelumne Hill. He willed friends are not confined to any one and named J. H. Langhorst as executor. The deceased was an old time miner of this county. He mined old Spanish mine, now known as the Mammoth, from which W. A. Nevills got his first start as a mining mag nate. The old miner lett no relatives in this county, that were known. and the executor had considerable trouble in finding out all the heir opportunity to express its kindly who were entitled to share in the distribution. The estate consisted of \$2800, all in cash. After paying all expenses, there remains \$2124 in the hands of the executor for distribution This is an excellent showing: as in accordance with the will the remains been living on his 80 acre tract since and that said firm will pay the sum of were cremated, and torwarded to relatives in Germany, and this, with all integrity, and moral worth, and was every case of Catarrh that cannot be legal expenses, traveling to and from San Andreas, attorney's fees, etc., is funeral took place Monday. covered by \$700. The estate is now virtually closed, as far as court proceedings are concerned.

salve in the house. Sunburns, cuts, bruises, piles and boils yield to De-Tr. W.; B. F. Horton, Sr. B.; Neil witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Should H. Ross, Jr. B; G. M. Huberty, keep a box on hand at all times to lecturer. provide for emergencies. For years the standard, but followed by many imitators. Be sure you get the gen uine DeWitt's Witch Hazel salve Sold by F. W. Rusher.

Caved on in Argonaut.

Peter Spahovich, an Austrian mine employed in the Argonaut, was the postal department called for bids victim of a painful accident last Wednesday. While employed in the vich yesterday that her sister, Miss Cody Spagnoli, daughter of S. G. Spagnoli, was severly injured by being run into by a street car. She was printed Friday afternoon, if sent by face cutting the scale and face ed dangerous, being of a superficial character, but cailing for surgical modate the people, we will endeavor character, but cailing for surgical

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Information wanted as to the whereabouts of any relatives of Samuel Morrison, who left Londonderry Ireland, 45 years ago, and settled in the west. He is supposed to have met h is death in a New York hospital about 31/2 years ago. Any relative or friend please write his brother John Morrison, 271 High street, Elgin, Scotland. je 22-4t.

All kinds of harness from \$15 up at Pete Piccardo's.

MINING NOTES.

Kennedy .- A new pipe is being laid Jackson met last evening; all mem- most singular accident last Friday. from the reservoir to the mine, to The peculiarity consisted not so supply old works with water. Permission has been given to connect a four tune, as the nature of the injuries inch main to carry water for fire residents on the Flat and around the Bay State. - This property, two or

City marshal's verbal report in descent was broken at several points three miles beyond Plymouth, has in route to the bottom. When he resumed operations, under the Ordinance No. 25, was introduced finally landed, he was perfectly management of stockholders and and read by the clerk, and ordered on conscious, and found his bair and others. There is an abiding faith scalp attachment had slipped from among a number of those interested The audit and finance committee their moorings on the top of his that a paying mine exists at this the sharp edges of rock in his in- has been vigorously prosecuted, with The committee on streets and side- voluntary flight had raised his hair short intervals of rest. At times the walks was ordered to look after the as neatly as though done by an prospects appeared exceedingly bright, trees planted near the cemetery and Indian warrior in war path times. and the mill returns promised to pull the promoters through all right. But Thos Williams was granted the his peculiar predicament, and covered somehow something has turned up to privilege of selling lead pencils, for with blood. Carefully throwing his blight the outlook temporarily, and wool back over his head, to the place leave the property in the struggling where the hair ought to grow, he position it has been in for so many then sought assistance. He was years. We hope that the present Does evil still, your whole life fill? taken to the surface, and the services effort to try it again, will prove the of Dr. Phillips of Jackson were called commencement of a long period of in requisition. The surgeon found it profitable working for this mine, the cleanest case of scalping that had which is the only claim in the north ever came under his observation. end of the county in active operation.

The Ione Saloon Case.

The case of Jos. Visseaux, arrested accumulated in the mixup. It took on an amended complaint for selling a large number of stitches to secure liquor within two miles of the Preston school, will be tried before justice if both sides are agreeable thereto, will have to pass upon the merits of this case, and agree upon a verdict in order to decide it. C. P. Vicini, district attorney, will represent the prosecution and A. Caminetti will appear for the defendant. All the parties engaged in the liquor business jected over the sidewalk and into the in lone were arrested on the same charge originally. But when the district attorney went down at the time set for the arraignment, and examined the pleadings, he was not willing to go to trial on the complaints filed. A demurrer was put in by the defendants, and sustained. The defendants were thereupon discharged. A new complaint was drawn up and Visseaux re-arrested. The others were not re-arrested, action being deferred until the outcome of the present case is known.

MORE LOCALS.

Cancel all dates for the 18th, and go to the midsummer concert. Rev. Wm. Tuson will leave Jackson next Monday morning for Vancover. British Columbia, where he will traction. remain with his relatives for sometime. There will be services at the church next Sunday morning, at 11 a. m. The following two Sundays there

Frank Duhine has recently opened a saloon in Plymouth. He is one of in the earthquake and fire at Santa Rosa. He has decided to cast his lot with the people of Amador, and has selected the northern town as the scene of activity. He keeps not only a saloon, but also a restaurant, where meals may be had at any hour at reasonable prices. Give him a call when that way.

One mass will be celebrated at the Catholic church next Sunday morning

Father Horgan is off on a vacation of two weeks in the mountains. He is expected to return in about one

James Kittridge, a pioneer resident of this county, living on Stony creek, west of Jackson, died near his home on Saturday last, after an illness of only two or three days. He had of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, early days. He was a man of strict One Hundred Dollars for each and respected by all who knew him. The Cure.

Court Jackson, F. of A., No. 148, installed officers July 12, as follows: Max Ladar, D. G. C. R.; W. D. Dufrene, C. R.; R. E. Horton, S. C. It is always well to have a box of R.; A. Rickert, recording secretary; F. A. Horton, Sr. W.; L. P. Gabbart,

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Midsummer concert July 18.

DIAMONDS IN VOLCANO.

Fine Stone Discovered in Gravel

James Cosgrove is an old-time

miner in Volcano district. He is operating the old Matt White gravel mine on Indian gulch-a claim that has been worked since the early days of gold, mining in that famous district, and one that has surrendered its hidden wealth liberally in response to the industry of the miner. Matthew White, an eccentric Scotchman, worked it successfully for many years, and took out quantities of gold. He indulged in two or three trips to his native land on the proceeds. ()n getting beyond the age of active mining he deeded the mining claim to Cosgrove, one of the conditions being that the grantee should look after and care for the grantor in his

old age-a promise that was faithfully kept by Cosgrove. A few months ago, Cosgrove repaired to the old man's cabin, after working in his claim all day, and found him dead-he had committed suicide, as he had often threatented, by shooting himself through the head. The mining claim consists of 20 acres It used to be worked by

hydraulic process, but for many years

past it has been operated by ground sluices. It is one of several claims from which diamonds have been casually picked up from the tailings. Two or three weeks ago, in panning out, he noticed a small stone that seemed to glow in the water with unusual brilliance. He at once consome weeks before he is sufficiently defendant demanded a jury trial, so cluded that it was a precious stone that twevle men, or a lesser number of some kind, and its whiteness indicated a diamond. In the rough it is rare that diamonds show their brilliance in that way. This stone, however, had come in contact with the grinding process of water and gravel that nature had thereby imparted a face to reveal its merits in reflecting light rays. The miner picked it out of the debris, and brought it to Jackson for examination by the jewelers here. J. H. Langhorst and others pronounced it a diamond of the first water. In hardness and brilliancy it will compare favorably with the finest from the South African fields. It is a small stone, not quite as large as an ordinary pea, even in the rough, and when subjected to the art of the lapidary in cutting facets, it would be reduced to smaller dimensions. The owner has been offered \$20 for it as it is, but declined to part with it.

No systematic effort has been made to recover these gems from the gravels of Volcano. It is not known whether they exist in sufficient quantity to make it an object to put in special machinery for their ex

Joint Installation.

Encino Circle No. 617 Women of Woodcraft and Jackson Camp No. 688 Wednesday evening, July 18, '06 Woodmen of the World, had a joint installation of officers on Monday evening, July 9, 1906. The follow

officers were installed: Olodine Waller; G. N. Margaret Devan; magician, Lavena Palmer; attendant, Maria A. Heath; inner sentinel, Ellen Silva; outer sentinel, Daisy Lagomarsino; capt. of guards. Addell Zumbiel.

Jackson Camp No. 688-C. C., L. P. Gebhardt; A. L., W. J. Tucker; escort, R. W. Scott; watchman, C. B. Green; sentry, R. F. Moon.

After the installation a musical and literary program was rendered, followed by refeshments. All had a good time.

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10. Protestations (Norris) Miss Norma 11. Last rose of summer (Root) Mesdames Endicott, Thomas; Misses

12. 11 Travatore (Verdi), Mrs Kay 13. Spring song, (Pinsuti), Mesdames Winning, Thomas; Misses Smith. Boarman; MessrsPhelps, Ross, Wright

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nation has ever suffered, but it was Chronicle. infinitely better that the evils should A sweet breath adds to the joy of a come out, than that they should kiss. You wouldn't want to kiss our gave him something to eat and at eat at the national life in secret.

In the Superior Court, of the before official attention was ever remedy that digest what you eat and also. Michael when in church had seen County of Amador, State of Cali-In the matter of the guardianship of once brought to the attention of the pepsia. It is a relief tor sonr stom- Heaven." Taking bits of charcoal, he the person and estate of Gideon R. Elizabeth J. Devore, the guardian of the person and estate of Gideon R. tear or favor and this was done, re-Devore, a minor, having this day personal estate of said minor, for the sentences while the end of the legal proceedings is not yet. But the de-It is therefore ordered by the said court, that the next of kin, and all partment itself is cleansed and persons interested in the estate of said chastened as a department seldom minor appear before the said superior court on Saturday the 14th day of

The crop report exposures followed July, 1906, at ten o'clock in the forewith remarkable swiftness resulting noon of said day, at the court room of said Superior Court at the court in an entire reorganization of that house, in the city of Jackson, in said branch of the department of agricul-Amador county, to show cause why ture. The awakening of the public an order should not be granted to said guardian, to sell so much of the real conscience was helped by the insurand personal property of the said ance exposures in New York which minor, at private sale, as shall be necessary; and that a copy of this while not directly under federal supervision, were along the line of order be published at least four sucthe same work. Then there were the a weekly newspaper printed and published in said Amador county, inquiries, into the beef combine by the bureau of corporations, resulting in the famous "immunity bath" Judge of said Superior Court. Dated this 4th day of June, 1906. Endorsed) Filed June 4th A. D., 1906. farce and then the swifter and more remarkable exposures of the Neill-Reynolds report. Side by side with Chas. H. Crocker, attorney for guardian, Jackson, Cal. these were the investigations of the bureau of corporations and the interstate commerce commission into combinations of the coal and oil outlined and that promises to be very leceased, to the creditors of and all

persons having claims against the said effective in their execution. deceased, to exhibit them, with the It may be stated that the good renecessary vouchers, within four suits coming from these investigations that India is placed on the world's months after the first publication of and prosecutions are more indirect maps 600 feet northward and 2½ miles than direct. The mere knowledge son, Amador county, California, the that the law was on its track was tudes are 5 to 35 feet or more in error, from insomnia, enough to force the dissolution of the Mount Everest's corrected height already begun an internal overhauling usually given. on their own account, now they find the public knows how rotten were some of their conditions.

The suits against the tobacco trust the industry at large, and it may be The county assessor hereby an- taken for granted that no corporation nounces that he will be at his office managers are going to venture very loss. in Jackson, from now on for the pur- far inside the penitentiary when they pose of assessing taxable property, know that there is a watchful eye and and receiving statements from pro- a ready hand to shut the door on them if they trespass over the line.

The rumor on Friday that there was County Assessor. a possibility of congress adjourning on Friday night, brought a crowd of visitors to the White House to say good bye to the president before the cabinet meeting, and a special train was held in readiness at the depot to take him to Oyster Bay even if it were late at night before congress finished up the session. The president has earned a good

while there is not the urgent need of it that there would be in the case of a man who was not about as delicate and fragile as a grizzly bear, Mr Roosevelt himself will welcome the change and the chance to get once more to out of door life and to work off some of the flesh that has accumulated during the winter in Washington in spite of his constant tennis playing, walking and horseback riding. There will be an effort to keep just as much work from him as while there is not the urgent need of

Washington D. C., July 7, 1906. ton in spite of his constant tennis Congress and the president are tak- playing, walking and horseback ing leave of each other in a much riding. There will be an effort to better frame of mind than could have keep just as much work from him as been expected from their meeting last possible while he is at Sagamore hill. year. There has been a conflict of But there is a certain amount of routstrong personalities and both sides line and special work that the presihave won their points to a certain dent has to do even in summer, and irregularities, cures painful periods, dries up disagreeable and weakening drains, sometimes known as pelvic catarrh and a multitude of other diseases peculiar to women. Bear in mind, it is not a patent nor even a secret medicine, but the "Favorite Prescription" of a regularly educated physician, of large experience in the cure of woman's peculiar allments, who frankly and confidingly takes his patients into his full confidence by telling them just what his "Prescription" is composed of. Of no other medicine put up for woman's special maladies and sold through druggists, can it be said that the maker is not afraid to deal thus frankly, openly and honorably, by letting every patient using the same know exactly what she is taking.

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From Our Exchanges

Mrs. G. S. Estey and sister, Miss individual members who looked on Susie Chaix, and Mrs Estey's three these offices as the last remnant of children were all badly bruised in a the fast disappearing currency with runaway on Greenstone grade while on their way home from Latrobe the He has forced through the rate bill, day after the Fourth. Dr. Kellogg and while there may be some features was called and dressed the wounds of the measure that could be improv. after Mrs Estey's arrival in Placered and doubtless will be improved in ville. Mrs Estey will be laid up for time, it is vastly in advance of no three or four weeks. The little girl legislation at all, and that was what was thrown down the side of the was looked for a fortnight before con- mountain about thirty feet among gress met. The tree alcohol MII has the tagged rocks but escaped with a gone through, promising to help the few bruises. The horses after breaktarmers of the whole country and to ing loose from the surry ran about help the public greatly against one two nundred yards and came back to form of fuel extortion. The state- the rig. Some Indians, who lived hood bill has been a compromise but near the place of accident, came to has brought satisfaction and dignity the assistance of the injured women to two commonwealths and would and children, and atter getting the have brought it to four, but for the harness and rig fixed up somewhat. unreasonable opposition to the mea- Miss Susie Chaix drove the team sure in congress. The pure food bill home, arriving in Placerville about is a law, and meat inspection has 10 o'clock last night. It was a been added where it was sorely need- miragle that some of the children hill where the accident occured is Altogether it has been a most not. very rough.—Placerville Democrat. able congress and one that will As the Amador Laundry wagon was necessarily go down in history as a coming from San Andreas to Mokelmonument to the forceful personality umne Hill last Monday, when just of the executive aside from the per. this side of the Calaveras river bridge. sonal triumph of the peace conference a horse attached to a cart belonging and numerous other smaller matters, to Q. H. Reed ran away and colliding any one of which would have been with the laundry wagon frightened

wife, mother or sweetheart with a bad night secretly let him into his room in There were first of all the postal scandals. They were more than half suspected by those "in the known" feet digestion. There is only one than the interest of sweetheart with a data breath. You can't have a sweet breath the attic to sleep. This went on for a long time, Peter content to let his friend do this and Michael content to let his friend do this and michael content to let his fri

before official attention was ever called to them. But when they were called to them. president, the word was passed that they were to be ferreted out without they were to be ferreted out without they were to be ferreted out without other ailments arising from disorder of the stomach and digestion. Take a fittle Kodol after your meals and

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Notice to Stockholders.

Notice of special meeting of the Stockholders of the Del Monte Mining and Milling Company.

meeting of the Board of Directors of the Del Monte M. and M. corporation) held on the 4th of June. ple who want to put on flesh; so are 1906, by vote of all the directors present, it was resolved that the capital-Lettuce has a soothing effect on the ization of the said company be innerves and is excellent for sufferers creased from 100,000 shares of a par value of \$1 per share, to 400,000 shares of a par value of \$1 per share: Now therefore, in accordance with paper trust. The coal roads have being 29,141 feet instead of 29,002 as and is far better than medicine for suf-said resolution, notice is hereby given, that a special meeting of the stockholders of said Del Monte M. and M. Co., will be held at the office Some curious examples of the egg of said company in the Marelia buildlaying habits of certain frogs are reling in the city of Jackson, Cal., on Monday, August 6th, 1906, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day for the purpose of determining whether, or cently exhibited at a meeting of the not the capitalization of said com-Scott's Emulsion. It restores flesh Zoological society, carries the eggs pany shall be increased from 100,000

> At which time and place, all said stockholders of said Del Monte M. along the whole extent of its back, in and M.Co. are requested to be present. This notice shall be published in which the eggs are carried until hatch- the Amador Ledger a newspaper ed. It is the Nototrema marsupiatum published in the city of Jackson, the of zoologists, the name referring to place where the office of the company this curious habit. The case of the is located, for at least 60 days before By order of the Board of Directors.

Dated this 4th day of June, 1906. JAS. JAY WRIGHT, secretary Del Monte M. and M. Co., (a corpora

business of the company, in the city of Jackson, Amador county Cal., for the purpose of electing directors.

Notice to City Taxpayers.

NOTICE is hereby given that I will be in my office in the Marelia Building, on Court street, in the City of Jackson. Amador county, California, on and after Monday, June 25, 1906, between the hours of 10 a.m., land 5 p. m. for the purpose of receiving from[property holders statements of property for assessment purposes for the current year. I will be there daily, except Sundays, between said hours, up to and including Monday, July 9, 1906.

L. J. GLAVINOVICH,

City Clerk and ex-officio Assessor of the City of Jackson.

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enough to make an administration the team which caused them to run down and ran to the road which led away. The driver, J. Castle, was to Rome, One's name was Peter; the While one is looking over the retrospect, it is as well to take note of the remarkable series of national scandals thrown out and badly injured having one rib broken, his ankle bruised, besides being cut with barb wire. and exposures, all of which, the ex- He was taken to San Andreas, where reached Rome was to go to church. and exposures, all of which, the exposures at least, were more or less due to the feerless initiating of the Holland, when he was removed to his looked for employment. Peter received due to the fearless initiative of the Holland, when he was removed to his looked for employment. Peter received employment as the cook's boy in some president. It was the most deplor. home at Sutter Creek. The wagon able series of public scandals that a was badly damaged. — Calaveras cardinal's house, but Michael could find nothing to do, so he almost de-

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MICHAEL ANGELO. The Humble Start In Life of the Fa-Two boys were herding swine in Italy. They were evidently discussing some very important subject, for they

were earnest at it. A man approached, and the boys separated, each for mch13 was angry and was shaking bis hand MINING LUMBER AND TIMBER. bundle. This done, they both crept

cardinal's house, but Michael could spaired. cardinal had occasion to go to the The cardinal, upon seeing all the pictures, was dumfounded with their accurateness. He called Peter and Michael upstairs and asked who had had, but said he thought he could rub them out again. The cardinal explained to him that it was all right so far as the wall was concerned. He took master and gave Peter a better position. And Michael worked hard at his came the renowned Michael Angelo,

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ward off rheumatism.

potatoes.

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are a tonic for the nerves. Tomatoes are good for a torpid liver, but should be avoided by gouty people. Beets are fattening and good for peo-

Spinach has great aperient qualities ferers from constipation. Hatching Eggs In the Mouth. Take Scott's Emulsion for it. For lated by naturalists. The female of one species, a species which was reabout in her mouth until they are shares of a par value of \$1 per share, hatched. When the young emerge they to 400,000 shares of a par value of \$1 are tadpoles, but fully formed, though, per share. of course, diminutive frogs. An American tree frog, again, has a pouch Surinam toad is equally curions. In the time of said meeting. this species the male places the aggs,

> The Golden Magnet. "A pretty girl, even if she is poor, can have all the attention she wants, can't she?" "Yes. There is only one that can beat her.' "Who's that?" "A homely girl with the coin."-De

> one by one, in hollows in the loose

on the back of the female, when they

are developed.-London Globe.

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Magazine Section.

JACKSON, AMADOR COUNTY, CAL., JULY 13, 1906.

BERNHARDT'S ART IN DRESS nature knows to be it for prolonged activity.

GREAT SPLENDOR OF WARDROBE OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST ACTRESS.

Much Study Given to Make Each Gown Adaptable to the Part Presented.-Artist's Taste and Genius Very Evident.

What does Madame Bernhardt wear? During her engagement in this country, this question about the famous actress was asked by every woman unable to judge by seeing for herself, and the reply is the de ghted exclamation:

"Her gowns are simply gorgeousthey are a part of her."

In the many plays presented, Bernhardt has an oppo unity of displaying a great variety of dresses, and thousands of women who have packed the large theatres at every performance whereever she appeared, have stared at them in wonder, recognizing not only their perfect adaptation to the part presented, but also how much of Bernhardt's own taste and genius there was in them.

HER GENIUS FOR "SIGN. What is it? The gift displayed in this particular, is as characteristic of the woman as any other of the countless details which go to make her the public idol of all lands. Even those who did not understand the spoken language of the play, were full well able to comprehend that of the silk, satin and lace facing them over the flaming footlights. This artist has demonstrated to thousands, that a gown may be superior in lines and construction to the flimsy models sent over each year from Paris for our slavish following. Street clothes, of course, demand a certain amount of conventionality, in order not to make the wearer conspicuous, but since the Bernhardt engagement in their respective fashion centers, not a few devisers of costumes have declared their intention of taking indoor styles more ser-

HER EXAMPLE FOLLOWED. For those women whose incomes admit of certain and extravagant expenditure for clothes, it is just now considered wonderfully "smart" to furnish their own dressmakers and tailors with water-color sketches of models, speciilly drawn for them by famous artists, hese sketches being used solely for heir own particular gowns. With the tage for a precedent, these fashionable lames have found it convenient to idopt its methods. For those who cannot indulge in this fad, theater-going

nature knows to be its proper setting

To demonstrate how Meme. Bernhardt manages to make this audacious deviation from fashion's dictates attractive, it is well to say that she had specially designed a cuirass over which she has her maid wind yards of soft ribbon which is finally tied in front with an ornamental bow and long streamer ends. This style is especially adapted to her, as it makes her appear taller, a point well worthy of imitation! On this particular gown the hip swathing ends in pailletted stole ends, dripping with gold fringe. Her tiny feet are encased in marvelously fitting slippers of cloth of gold.

WONDERFUL BREAKFAST ROBE. The robe worn in the breakfast scene in "Magda" is worthy of study. It is a silver-encrusted lace creation over pastel blue, set up with wide shoulders and a swathing of pale blue ribbon, ending in large rosettes with stole ends in front. A unique but character-lending touch is a miniature Empire stole—merely a patted line of priceless sable, which gives the frock, in its Empire draping, the much needed long straight lines from neck to hem. The sleeves, too, which are lace puffs, with forearms of transparent lace, show pale blue bracelets at their division, made visible only by the artist's gestures, a subtle touch, but very pleasing.

COSTUMES WORN IN "CAMILLE." Ravishing, indeed, are her "Camille" dresses! The first mystery is in silver strewn gauze, wrought with a lattice work of pink ribbon embroidery near the flare at the foot, this outer work of art being fashioned over lettuce green satin souplé. The hip swathing and stole ends are in the same tone, and she wears with extraordinary grace a frosty pelerine of pale green chiffon, decorated with fetching clusters of blush roses.

Another of the "Camille" frocks reveals the French dressmaker's power of detail. The material is lustrous white satin, with raised embroidery in variegated pink flowers with green foliage—the corsage resplendent with well set gems.

Another change to which she treats her audience in "Camille" is a gorgeous half-fitting robe of white lace semi-fitting princess is this model, the lace flecked with reddish gold figures, seemingly woven into the texture. Pale pink is the foundation, as is also the hip lining. HER "ANGELO" COSTUME.

In "Angelo," Mme. Bernhardt's dress, an Italian princess costume, is fashioned from gorgeous gold brocade. It is set up on short-waisted, half-fitted



GOVERNMENT HISTORIAN SAYS REAL INDEPENDENCE IS NOT THE FOURTH.

Colonies Made Declaration Against England Previous to Drawing Historical Paper.-Final Signing of Document on August Second.

According to the opinions of the latest historical authorities both the school children of by-gone days and those of the present time have been taught incorrectly as to the proper Independence day of the nation. No one date seems to develop such excitable emotions as does the mention of the Fourth of July, but how unattractive would it seem if we were to state that the second of July is the day of firecrackers, bombs and Roman candles. And yet, according to Mr. William H. Michael, Chief Clerk and Historian of the Department of State, "The real In-

dependence Day is the second of July." Since we bent over our childhood histories we have always had an idea that our fathers severed the ties with Great Britain on the Fourth of July, 1776, and we have had word of no less an authority than Thomas Jefferson, author of that hallowed instrument, that the Declaration was signed on that date, on whose anniversary the great father of democracy died. But Mr. Michael says no, and for years he has toiled for his country beneath the same roof which shelters the sacred document; has had the nation's archives at his fingers' ends.

INDEPENDENCE ON JULY 2.

"The independence of the United States was declared by resolution on the 2d of July, and the adoption of the form of Declaration on the 4th of July was a secondary matter," says Mr. Michael. "It is a little strange that more importance was not attached to the 2d of July in connection with the Declaration of Independence. The resolution introduced by Richard Henry Lee, was passed on that day (July 2, 1776). This was really the vital point—the crucial juncture."

The real act of independence, which Mr. Michael has had reproduced in facsimile, was then the Lee resolution declaring:

"That these United colonies are, and of right ought to be, free and independent states; that they are absolved from all allegiance to the British Crown, and that all political connection between them and the State of Great Britain is, and ought to be, totally dissolved."

SIGNED AUGUST 2.

Concerning the actual date of the Declaration's signing, Mr. Michael says: "Mr. Jefferson in his account states that all the members present except Mr. Dickinson, signed the De laration in the evening of the Fourth of July. The journal shows that no one signed it that evening except Mr. Hancock and Mr. Thomson. The journal entry is: 'Signed, John Hancock, President, Attest, Charles Thomson, Secretary. * * * On August 2, the Declaration as engrossed under the order of Congress, was signed by all of the members of Congress

What really did happen on July 4 of that year of years was the final adoption of a draft of the "form of announcing the fact to the world" that independence had been decreed two days before. Jefferson had writ ten this draft in his Philadelphia apartments, consisting of a ready-furnished parlor and bedroom in the new brick house of Hyman Gratz, at the southwest corner of 7th and Market streets, "on the outskirts of the city." The Penn National Bank now occupying the site of this dwelling, is in the very business heart of Philadelphia.

WRITTEN LATE IN JULY. But the "original Declaration," which all pilgrims to Washington formerly gazed upon in awe and reverence, was not ordered written for more than two weeks after that long but unjustly hallowed July 4. On July 19, Congress ordered that the Declaration be "fairly engrossed on parchment," and signed by every member of Congress." Some time within the next two weeks the beautiful pen work which thousands of Americans have since marupon the great strip of sheepskin now locked away in the Department of they run and throw weights, jump and

State at Washington. On August 2, 1776, just a month after the real stroke of independence this great sheepskin was unrolled in the presence of the Continental Congress, in Independence Hall, with the wording of the corrected draft it was carefully "compared at the table." This formality gone through with, it was spread out upon a desk and signed by all of the members of Congress present. Fifty of these fathers of the republic signed on that day. Six of the revered "signers,, did not affix their signatures until later dates. George Wythe of Virginia signed about August 27. Richard Henry Lee, Virginia; Eldridge Gerry, Massachusetts, and Oliver Wolcott, Connecticut. did not sign until some time in Sen tember. Matthy Thornton, of New Hampshire, did not add his name until November, and Thomas McKean of Delaware, probably did not affix his the final signature, until five years later, or 1781. Matthew Thornton, by the wav, was not appointed to Congress until September, and did not take his seat until November-four months after the adoption of the Dec laration. Other signers who were

not members of Congress on July 2 or 4, were allowed to sign on August ounce.

2, the general signing day. These were Benjamin Rush, James Wilson, George Ross, George Clymer and George Taylor.

JULY FOURTH.

The Day of Days Among Uncle Sam's Sailor Boys.

Uncle Sam makes the Fourth of July a greater day among his sailors than even Christmas. Indeed, it is the greatest day for relaxation and pleasure for Jackie in the whole year. The early Secretaries of the navy established the custom and it has been almost religiously maintained inviolate through the long line of officials who have succeeded them.

Independence day belongs to the Jackie. His superiors recognize that his life is in some respects a hard one. To him is denied the ties of family, the friendships and all the other interests and diversions of life that make up the landsman's existence, so for this reason Uncle Sam believes that his sailors should have as many

holidays as possible.

To make Independence Day the biggest day of all is to give the day a special significance which cannot fail in some degree at least to carry its lesson of patriotic duty to those who serve the republic on the seas.

Hence commodores and captains always plan to remain in port on July 4. Then, after dressing ship, firing the national salute, and brief patriotic services, the day is given to the men to enjoy as they see fit, discipline men to enjoy as they see fit, discipline being almost entirely relaxed. The great respect. "Think of that!" said he. "And you with not a hair to your face, and a skin like a girl. I can Fourth of July are of a varied char-shoot three hundred and fifty paces

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At early dawn the country inn was all alive. The archer was as merry as a grig, and having kissed the matron and chased the maid up the ladder once more, he went out to the brook and came back with the water dripping from his face and hair.

"Hola! my man of peace," he cried to Alleyne, "whither are you bent this morning?"

"To Minstead. My brother Simon

Edricson is socman there, and I go to bide with him for a while."

The archer and Hordle John placed a hand upon either shoulder and led the

boy off to the board, where some smoking fish, a dish of spinach, and a jug of milk were laid out for their

breakfast.
"I should not be surprised to learn, mon camarade," said the soldier, as he heaped a slice of the fish upon Alleyne's tranchoir of bread, "that you could read written things.

you could read written things."
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ueed eart I reul Sulees, beleaste eq
"It would be shame to the good
their clerk this ten years."
The bowman looked at him with
great respect. "Think of that!" said

"Prettily said, mon garcon! Touching that same slaying of the Redeemer, it was a bad business. A good padre in France read to us from a scroll the whole truth of the matter. The soldiers came upon Him in the Garden. In truth, these Apostlesof Hismay have been holy men, but they were of no great account as men-at-arms. There was one, indeed, Sir Peter, who smote out like a true man; but, unless he is belied, he did but clip a varlet's car, which was no very knightly deed. By these ten finger-bones! had I been there, with Black Simon of Norwich, and but one score of picked men of the Company, we had held them in play. Could we do no more, we had at least filled the false knight, Sir Judas, so full of English arrows that he would curse the day that ever he came on such an errand." curse the day that ever he came on such an errand."

such an errand."

The young clerk smiled at his companion's earnestness. "Had He wished help," he said, "He could have summoned legions of archangles from heaven, so what need had He of your poor bow and arrow? Besides, bethink you of His own words—that those who have he had head to be the legister by the said.

you of His own words—that those who live by the sword shall perish by the sword."

"Now, youngster, let things be plat and plain between us. I am a man who shoots straight at his mark. You saw the things I had with me at yonder hostel; name which you will, save the box of rose-colored sugar which I take to the Lady Loring, and you shall have them if you will but

which I take to the Lady Loring, and you shall have them if you will but come with me to France."

"Nay," said Alleyne, "I would gladly come with ye to France or where else ye will, just to list to your talk, and because ye are the only two friends that I have in the whole wide world outside of the cloisters; but indeed it may not be, for my duty is toward my brother, seeing that father and mother are dead, and he my elder. Besides, when ye talk of taking me to France, ye do not conceive how useless I should be to you, seeing that neither by training nor by nature am I fitted by training nor by nature am I fitted for the wars, and there seems to be nought but strife in those parts."
"Bethink you again, mon ami," quoth Aylward, "that you might do

much good yonder, since there are three hundred men in the Company, and none who has ever a word of grace for them, and yet the Virgin knows that there was never a set of men who were in more need of it. Sickerly the one duty may balance the other. Your brother hath done without you this many a year, and, as I gather, he hath never walked as far gather, he hath never walked as far as Beaulieu to see you during all that time, so he cannot be in any great need

"Besides," said John, "the Socman of Minstead is a byword through the forest, from Bramshaw Hill to Holmesley Walk. He is a drunken, brawling, perilous churl, as you may find to your

"The more reason that I should strive to mend him," quoth Alleyne. "There is no need to urge me, friends for my own wishes would draw me to France, and it would be a joy to me could I go with you. But indeed and indeed it cannot be, so here I take my leave of you, for yonder square tower amongst the trees upon the right must surely be the characteristics. surely be the church of Minstead, and I may reach it by this path through

the woods."
"Well, God be with thee, lad!" cried "Well, God be with thee, lad!" cried the archer, pressing Alleyne to his heart. "I am quick to love, and quick to hate, and 'fore God I am loath to part. Yet it may be as well that you should know whither we go. We shall now journey south through the woods until we come out upon the Christchurch road, and so onward, hoping to-night to reach the castle of Sir William Montacute, Earl of Salisbury, of which Sir Nigel Loring is constable. There we shall bide, and it is like enough that for a month or more you may find us there, ere we are ready for our voyage back to France."

It was hard indeed for Alleyne to

It was hard indeed for Alleyne to break away from these two new but hearty friends, and so strong was the combat between his conscience and his inclinations. inclinations that he dared not round, lest his resolution should slip away from him.

away from him.

The path which the young clerk had now to follow lay through a magnificent forest of the very heaviest timber, where the giant boles of oak and of beech formed long aisles in every direction, shooting up their huge branches to build the majestic arches of Nature's own cathedral. It was very still there in the heart of the woodlands. The gentle rustle of the woodlands. The gentle rustle of the branches and the distant cooing of pigeons were the only sounds which broke in upon the silence, save that once Alleyne heard afar off a merry call upon a hunting bugle and the shrill yapping of the hounds. He pushed on the quicker, twirling his staff merrily, and looking out at every turn of the path for some sign of the turn of the path for some sign of the old Saxon residence. He was suddenly arrested, however, by the appearance of a wild-looking fellow armed with a club, who sprang out from behind a tree and barred his passage. He was a rough, powerful peasant, with cap and tunic of untanned sheepskin,

and tunic of untanned sneepskin, leather breeches, and galligaskins round his legs and feet.

"Stand!" he shouted, raising his heavy cudgel to enforce the order.

"Who are you who walk so freely through the wood?" Whither would the wood?" when is your errand?" you go, and what is your errand?"
"Why should I answer your questions, my friend?" said Alleyne, stand-

ing on his guard. "Because your tongue may save your pate. What hast in the scrip?" "Nought of any price."
"How can I tell that, clerk? Let me

"Not I." "Foo!! I could pull you limb from limb like a pullet. Wouldst lose scrip and life too?"

"I will part with neither without a fight."
"A fight, quotha? A fight betwixt

INDEPENDENCE HALL AT PHILADELPHIA.

acter. Our naval service has, of with my little popper there, and four course, become affected to a consider-hundred and twenty with the great war-bow; yet I can make nothing of the converted Independence

different ships and in some extreme cases between nines from separate squadrons who happen to be in ren-

dezvous near each other. Then there are track and field events. the blue show how fast they can sprint. Now just what good this does that "the same, when engrossed, be them in their developments as fighters is not clear, for even had they the instinct to flee and get over ground faster than a Duffy it would do them ho good at the moment when the prow of the ship was heading for a moist veled at and admired was executed of the ship was heading for a moist trip to Davy Jones' Locker. However,

> pole vault. If no athletic field is available, then the rivalry must be confined to aquatic events, swimming and rowing races. In extreme cases where it is not possible to get ashore or the water conditions preclude rowing or swimming, the Jackies test their prowess at boxing, wrestling, fencing, dancing and singing.

Then the ship's larder is drawn on for such extra delicacies as transforms the regular neal into a banquet and Mr. Jackie crawls into his hammock with the comfortable feeling that July Fourth is pretty big day after all, and that he is glad to be able to pass it in Uncle Sam's service.

Black Hair the Strongest.

Black hair is stronger than golden resses, and will sustain almost double the weight. Recently a scientist found, by experiment, that it is possible to suspend a weight of four ounces by a suspend a weight of four ounces of a single hair, provided the hair be black. Should be spilled to no purpose." Blond hair will give way at weights "Bless the lad, if he doth not blush varying according to the tint. A yellow hair will scarce support two ounces. brown will hold up three without

ment that has converted Independence
Day into the greatest sporting carnival of the year.

The Navy Department has wisely encouraged this tendency, and wherever an open field is available, the piece de resistance is a baseball game, sometimes between rival nines picked from members of the same ship, oftener between teams representing different ships and in some extrement. rights of the high justice, the middle, and the low."

"Look at that, now!" cried the bo man in triumph. "That is just what he would have said. You come with me, mon gros Jean, and as to you, The fleet-footed wearers of little one, where did you say that you

journeyed?"

"To Minstead."

"Ah, yes! I know this forest-country
well. We shall travel round with you well. We shall travel round with you to Minstead, lad, seeing that it is little

was flung open, and a stream of wor-shippers wound down the sloping path, coming from the morning mass. Alleyne bent knee and doffed hat at the sight of the open door; but ere he had finished an Ave, his comrades were out of sight round the curve of the path, and he had to run to overtake

"What!" he said, "not one word of prayer before God's own open house? How can ye hope for his blessing upon the day?"
"My friend," said Hordle John,

have prayed so much during the last two months, not only during the day, but at matins, lauds, and the like, when I could scarce keep my head upon my shoulders for nodding, that I feel that I have somewhat overprayed myself." myself. "How can a man have too much re-

ligion?" cried Alleyne earnestly. "It is the one thing that availeth. A man is but a beast as he lives from day to day, eating and drinking, breathing and sleeping. It is only when he raises himself, and co_zerns himself with the immortal spirit within him, that he becomes in very truth a man. Bethink ye how sad a thing it would be that the blood of the Redeemer

"In truth I blushed that any one

breaking, while one of a very dark brown will sustain an additional half ounce.

In truth I blushed that all, weak and so inworthy as I should try to teach another that which he finds it so passing hard to follow himself."

MADAME SARAH BERNHARDT. In Costume Worn in Her Famous "Camille" Ball-room Scene.

to womankind. Sara Bernhardt's creations are curiously interesting from the point of view that they serve as an advance courier of what may be accomplished by women who effect the hourglass figure as that demanded by fashlon purveyors. Her carriage is lofty, her chest is high, her waist line ample, and her head well poised—quite the reverse, you will observe from the figure usually attributed to French women. But how unfettered is Bernhardt's every action, and how splendid her movements! In other words, she has mastered so absolutely the art of dressing well, that once clothed, she is utterly oblivious of her adornments.
A UNIQUE INNOVATION.

Novel indeed is the hip swathing of all Mme. Bernhardt's gowns and all pearls. her frocks are set up on classical lines. The bodices show waist lines either

assumes an added phase of enjoyment [bodice lines, with the long sweeping folds of the skirt attached. The mater ial is so draped as to present an unbroken straight front, from the tucker decorated corsage to the foot line. Beautifully adjusted leg-of-mutton sleeves of gold brocade meet fitted forearm coverings of cloth of gold, the latter extending in shaped circular flares, well drawn down over the knuckles, ending just a touch of uching to soften the effect.

A classic drapery of gobelin blue crepe, deftly touched with embroidery of deeper tone, accentuates the beauty of the ensemble. This cloak hangs in long straight lines over the gown, being but loosely caught together at the sides with tapestry blue cords and tassels. With this is worn a dog collar of

Other feminine accessories, quite out of the ordinary, are the jewel-studded below her natural bust or well down cloth-of-gold chatelaine bag, suspended on her abdomen, preferably the latter on a long, dangling gold chain, and style, as it gives her body that hygiseveral plain linked gold chains worn enic poise which every woman's better in festoons over the corsage.

spurred cock and new-hatched chicken! Thy fighting days may soon be over.'

"Hadst asked me in the name of charity I would have given freely!" cried Alleyne. "As it stands, not one farthing shall you have with my free will, and when I see my brother, the Socman of Minstead, he will raise hue and cry from vill to vill, from hundred to hundred, until you are taken as a common robber and a scourge to the

The outlaw sank his club. "The Socman's brother!" he gasped. "Now, by the keys of Peter! I had rather that hand withered and tongue was palsied ere I had struck or miscalled you. If you are the Socman's brother you are one of the right side, I warrant, for all your clerkly dress."
"His brother I am," replied Alleyne.

"But even if I were not, is that reason why you should molest me on the king's ground?"

"I give not the pip of an apple for king or for noble," cried the serf passionately. "Ill have I had from them, and ill I shall repay them. I am a good friend to my friends, and, by the Virgin, an evil foeman to my foes. the Virgin, an evil foeman to my foes."

"And therefore the worst of foeman to thyself," said Alleyne. "But I pray you, since you seem to know him, to point out to me the shortest path to my brother's house."

my brother's house."
He was following the track, his misgivings increasing with every step which took him nearer to that home which he had never seen, when of a sudden the trees began to thin and the sward to spread out into a broad green law, where five cows lay in the sun-shine and droves of black swine wandered unchecked. A brown forest stream swirled down the centre of this clearing, with a rude bridge flung across it, and on the other side was a second field sloping up to a long, low-lying wooden house, with thatched roof and open squares for windows. Alleyne gazed across at it with flushed cheeks and sparkling eyes—for this, he knew, must be the home of his

Alleyne was roused, however, from his pleasant revery by the sound of tolices, and two people emerged from the forest some little way to his right and moved across the field in the direction of the bridge. The one was a man with yellow flowing beard and very long hair of the same tint drooping over his shoulders. By his side walked a woman, tall and slight and dark, with lithe graceful figure and clear-cut, composed features. Her jet-

golden hair, his fierce blue eyes, and house, blowing the while upon a his large, well-marked features, he was the most comely man whom Alleyne had ever seen; and yet there was something so sinister and so fell in his expression that child or beast might

woman still to his side, though every line of her shrinking figure spoke her abhorrence. "I rede you to go on your way, lest worse befall you. This little wench has come with me, and with me

she shall bide."
"Liar!" cried the woman; and, stooping her head, she suddenly bit fiercely into the broad brown hand which held her. He whipped it back with an oath, while she tore herself free and slipped behind Alleyne, cowering up against him.

"Stand off my land!" the man said fiercely, heedless of the blood which trickled freely from his fingers. "What have you to do here? By your dress you should be one of those cursed clerks who overrun the land like vile rats, poking and prying into other men's concerns, too caitiff to fight and too lazy to work."

"Is this your land, then?" gasped

"Is this your land, then: gasped Alleyne.
"Would you dispute it, dog? Would you wish by trick or quibble to juggle me out of these last acres? Know, base-born knave, that you have dared this day to stand in the path of one whose race have been the advisers of kings and the leaders of hosts, ere ever things and the leaders of hosts, ere ever this vile crew of Norman robbers came into the land, or such half-blood hounds as you were let loose to preach that the thief should have his booty and the honest man should sin if he strove to win back his own."

"You are the Socman of Minstead!"
"That I am; and the son of Edric
the Socman, of the pure blood of Godfrey the thane, by the only daughter of the house of Aluric, whose fore-fathers held the white-horse banner at fathers held the white-holds the fatal fight where our shield was broken and our sword shivered. My broken and our sword shivered. My folk held this land from Bramshaw Wood to the Ringwood road. Begone, I say, and meddle not with my affair!"
"If you leave me now," whispered the woman, "shame forever upon your manhood!"

shrill whistle. "Come!" ga

"Come!" gasped the woman. "Fly, friend, ere he come back."
They ran together to the cover of the expression that child or beast might well have shrunk from him. His brows were drawn, his cheek flushed, and there was a mad sparkle in his eyes which spoke of a wild, untamable upon his hair and his beard. He held something which flashed in his ri ht hand, and he stopped to unloose the

biack hound.
"This way!" the woman whispered, in a low eager voice. "Through the bushes to that forked ash. Do not heed me; I can run as fast as you, I trow. Now into the stream—right in, over ankles, to throw the dog off. As she spoke, she sprang herself into the she spoke, she sprang herself into the shallow stream and ran swiftly up the centre of it, with the brown water bubbling over her feet, and her hand outstretched to ward off the clinging branches of bramble or sapling Alleyne followed close at her heels, with his mind in a whirl at this black welgome and sudden shifting of all his come and sudden shifting of all his plans and hopes. Yet, grave as were his thoughts, they would still turn to wonder as he looked at the twinkling feet of his guide and saw her lithe figure bend this way and that, dipping under boughs, springing over stones, with a lightness and ease which made it no small task for him to keep up with her. At last, when he was al-most out of breath, she suddenly threw herself down upon a mossy bank, between two holly-bushes, and looked ruefully at her own dripping feet and bedraggled skirt.

Alleyne, still standing in the stream, glanced down at the graceful pink-and-white figure, the curve of ravenblack hair, and the proud, sensitive face, which looked upfrankly and confidently at his own.

"Why did you not kill him?"

"Why did you not kill him?"
"Kill him? My brother?"
"And why not?"—with a quick gleam of her white teeth. "He would have killed you. I know him, and I read it in his eyes. Had I had your staff I would have tried—aye, and done it, too." She shook her clenched white hand as she spoke, and her lips tight-

ened ominously.

"I am already sad in heart for what I have done," said he, sitting down on the bank, and sinking his face into his hands. "God help me! all that is worst in me seemed to come upper-most. Another instant, and I had



four other concerns in the world com-

"The Brazilian Ambassador tells me

the warming makes it easy to grind and develops the flavor. Coffee deteriorates if exposed to the air—it also collects dust and absorbs impurities. That is why you should "BEWARE OF THE SCOOP."

If your grocer will not sell you the genuine Arbuckles' ARIOSA Coffee it

The treasury has always stamped

its own pennies with the design of the

cent"; but the coins, lacking only this

many years in Waterbury, Conn.,

whence they were shipped in the shape

"planchets") in strong wooden boxes.

They used to cost the government, in

this form, only twenty-four cents a

pound, whereas to-day, owing to the

homemade, for less than twenty-nine cents. A pound of blanks represent

If a cent a pound be added for the expense of stamping them with dies, it will be obvious that Uncle Sam is able to manufacture 486 pennies for a dollar—a very profitable enterprise,

inasmuch as he disposes of that num-

During the last year the treasury minted 80,719,163 pennies, of which New York State absorbed about 15,-

000,000, the demand from Illinois being next in point of size, while Massachusetts was third and Pennsylvania

fourth. To make this number of cents required 525,228 pounds of copper, 16,586 pounds of tin and 11,257 pounds of zinc, the two latter metals entering

into the composition of these coins to the extent of three per cent, and two.

146 pennies.

ber for \$4.86.

form. Then the roasting.

Don't take scoop coffee when you want Arbuckles' ARIOSA Coffee, which is sults in the cup. First they must have

A grocer may recommend a loose coffee at so much a pound. He is all right. bined, and their coffee is the most uni-He means well. If he handled the coffee himself, from the tree to you, you might that coffee-roasting is an art," was the well trust him implicitly.

court testimony of a world famous chemist. Where are artists more likely to find employment—manipulating a little roast-He may know something about coffee He may think he does, but let that pass. er or in the Arbuckle mills, where the He buys it loose ! From whom? You yearly roast amounts to the hundred don't know-if you did it would not mean anything. He trusts the man he million pounds? Don't take scoop coffee, but buy a package of Arbuckles' ARIOSA. Take it home and keep the bean intact until ready to use. We hermetically seal each buys it from-maybe a salesman, maybe bean after roasting with a coating of fresh eggs and granulated sugar to close the pores and preserve the flavor. A lit-

Where do they get their coffee? Where does it come from? Whose hands touched it last?

the looks after it is roasted, and it takes a man, expert by years of practical ex-perience, to select sound, sweet green coffee of high cup merit; and another man with the knowledge and experience

shelter, there to wait until the page's return. By the grace of the Virgin and the help of my patron St. Magdalen, I stopped short ere I reached his door, though, as you saw, he strove to hale me up to it."

"But your father?"
"Not one word shall I tell him.
You do not know him; but I can tell
you he is not a man to disobey as I government, and intends for all time to come to turn them out with its own have disobeyed him. He would avenge me, it is true, but it is not to him that I shall look for vengeance. Some day, perchance, in joust or in tourney, some knight may wish to wear my colors, and then I shall tell him that if he does indeed agree we form that if machinery. Indian's head and the wreath on the reverse enclosing the words "One colors, and then I shall tell him that it he does indeed crave my favor there is wrong unredressed, and the wronger the Socman of Minstead. So my knight shall find a venture such as bold knights love, and my debt shall be paid, and my father none the wiser, and one rogue the less in the world."

Then down the glade there came a finishing touch, have been made for of "blanks" (otherwise known as Then down the glade there came a little green-clad page with laughing eyes, and long curls floating behind him. He sat perched on a high bay horse, and held on to the bridle of a rise in the price of copper, they can-not be manufactured, even when spirited black palfrey, the hides of both glistening from a long run.

"I have sought you everywhere, dear Lady Maude," said he, in a piping voice, springing down from his horse and holding the stirrup. "Troubadour galloped as far as Holmhill ere I could catch him. I trust that you have had no hurt or scath?" He shot a questioning glance at Alleyne as he

leave you without a word more. You have acted this day as becomes a true knight. King Arthur and all his Table could not have done more. It may be that, as some small return, my father or his kin may have power to advance your interest. He is not rich, but he is nonored and hath great friends. friends. Tell me what is your purpose, and see if he may not aid it."

"Alas, lady! I have now no purpose. I have but two friends in the world, and they have gone to Christchurch,

and they have gone to Christchurch, where it is likely I shall join them."
"And where in Christchurch?"
"At the castle which is held by the brave knight, Sir Nigel Loring, constable to the Earl of Salisbury."
To his surprise she burst out alaughing, and spurring her palfrey, dashed off down the glade, with her page riding behind her. Not one word did she say, but as she vanished amid the trees she half turned in her saddle and waved a last greeting. Long time another person from the light-hearted boy who had left it a short three hours before. (To be Continued Next Week.)

Synopsis of Preceding Chapters.

The scenes of the story are laid in the lith century. Hordie John, a lay-brother of the Cistercian Monastery, Abbey of Beaulieu, slees from the monastery after being found guilty of certain serious charges brought against him by a number of the monks. The same day, another of the lay-brethren of the monastery, Alleyne Edricson, takes his departure in accordance with a provision of his father's will, designating that he should, when he became twenty years old, so forth for one year to choose for himself his future calling. In sadness he wanders from the monastery to visit his brother, the Soeman of Minstead, whose reputation is a most unsavory one. At nightfall Alleyne seeks shelter in a road-die inni where he meets Hordie John. He is very much in terested in a visitor to the inn, Samkin Aylward, and English archer just back from the French warst engages in a wrestling bout with the bowman Hordie John getting into a controversy with Aylward and couple of unsuccessful trials, Aylward succeeds by which a lyward is given the result of universellative for the which a couple of unsuccessful trials, Aylward succeeds by a trick in throwing the giant Hordie John, who set thus bound to join the White Company.

Charles R. Barnes, in the New York World.

Mary had to have a pet; She bought a cunning cow, Which died of splitting headaches soon; It's country sausage now.

Mary wept and wept and wept,
And then a piggie got;
The piggie died of tummy ache—
It's boned ham, like as not.

Mary saw the packers make
A fortune from her pets,
But she could hardly clear enough
On them to pay her debts.

Mary bought an ailing sheep—
She knew it was a sin—
And when it died she promptly called
An undertaker in.

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This precious pair embalmed the
And sold it all for cash.
The folks who bought it of them
"What lovely corned-beef hash

sold only in sealed packages and never the supply to preserve uniform quality.

Arbuckles buy more coffee than any loose out of a "scoop."

But he does not!

a wholesaler, maybe a little local roaster. It does not matter. What do they know about coffee? More than the grocer?

Where had they been? They can't tell Java from Brazilian by

Will Manufacture Own Pennies. Uncle Sam will make his own pennies in future. The treasury has taken over the business from private concerns, which for many years manufactured these small coins for the

spoke.
"No, Bertrand," said she, "thanks to

this courteous stranger. And now, sir," she continued, springing into her saddle, "it is not fit that I should

and waved a last greeting. Long time he stood, half hoping that she might again come back to him; but the thud of the hoofs had died away, and there was no sound in all the woods but the gentle rustle and dropping of the leaves. At last he turned away and made his way back to the highroad—

The Story of Mary.

Mary had a little lamb;
One day it got the croup;
She sold it to a packing house—
It's now canned ox-tail soup.

The undertaker and the girl
Decided then to hitch;
They organized a packing house,
And, gee, but they are rich!

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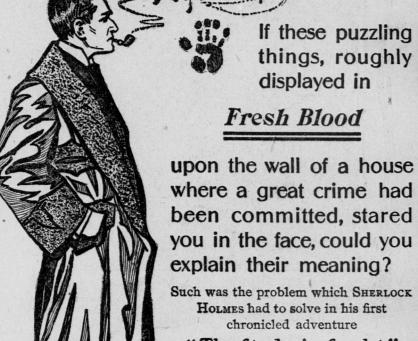
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The two walked swiftly across the meadow to the narrow bridge, he in front and she a pace or two behind. There they paused, and stood for a few minutes face to face, talking earnestly. Alleyne had read and heard of love and of lovers. Such were these, doubtless—this) golden-bearded man and the fair damsel with the cold proud face. Why else should they wander together in the woods, or be so lost in talk by rustic streams? And ject as he watched, uncertain whether to advance from the cover or to choose came to doubt the truth of his conjecture. The man stood, tall and square, blocking the entrance to the bridge, and throwing out his hands as he spoke in a wild, eager fashion, while the deep tones of his stormy will the deep tones of his stormy while he deep tones of his stormy while the deep tones of his stormy while he deep tones of his stormy while the deep tones of his stormy while he deep tones of his stormy while he deep tones of his stormy while he deep tones of his approach; until, when the west of his approach; until, when the west he his arm roughly round the damse's waist and drew her toward him, she straining her lithe supple figure away and strikking fercely at him. The maid, however, had but little chance squared the result of his approach; until, when the chert.

"The best rose has ever the longest thorns," said he. "Quiet, little one, and she had the word him with the other." "The best rose has ever the longest thorns," said he. "Quiet, little one, the said between his clenched teeth—while he drew her toward him, she can be a between his clenched teeth—while he drew her toward him, she was a ring in his voice and a branded serif from my father's fields. Leave go, I say—Ah, good youth. Heaven has sent you. Make him loose of the long time of his has sent you. Make him loose of the long time of his has sent you. Make him loose of the long time of his has sent you. Make him loose of the long time of his has sent you. Make him loose of the long time of his has sent you whill the damsel against her will."

"You bout no stand by me and to make this knawe loose me. "Will, and that his was a loose me." "You would that the blood of the long line of hot-headed his back, may father's fields yet as he watched, uncertain whether to advance from the cover or to choose

black hair was gathered back under a light pink coif, her head poised proudly upon her neck, and her step long and springy, like that of some wild tireless woodland creature. Alleyne stood in the shadow of an oak staring at her with parted lips, for this woman seemed to him to be the most beautiful and graceful creature that mind could conceive of. Such had he imagined the angels, but here there was long or the most beautiful and graceful creature that mind could conceive of. Such had he imagined the angels, but here there was long or with me as a guide, if she should need one, through the wood. As to birth, it does not become me to boast, and there is sooth in what you are grieved at what you have done, and I can but rede that we should go back together, and you should make

seemed to him to be the most beautiful and graceful creature that mind could conceive of. Such had he imagined the angels, but here there was something human, which sent a tingle and thrill through his nerves such as no dream of radiant and stainless spirit had ever yet been able to conjure

say as to the unworthiness of clerks, but it is none the less true that I am as well born as you."
"Dog!" cried the furious Socman, "there is no man in the south who can say as much."
"Yet can I," said Alleyne, smiling; "for indeed I also am the son of Edric the Socman of the numbered of Code the Socman, of the pure blood of God-frey the thane, by the only daughter of Aluric of Brockenhurst. Surely, dear brother," he continued, holding out his hand, "you have a warmer greeting than this for me. There are but two boughs left upon this old Saxon trunk."

His elder brother dashed his hand aside with an oath, while an expression of malignant hatred passed over his passion-drawn features. "You are the young cub of Beaulieu, then?" said he. "I might have known it by the sleek face and slavish manner, too monk-

and I can but rede that we should go back together, and you should make your peace with the Socman by handing back your prisoner. It is a sad thing that so small a thing as a woman

should come between two who are of one blood."

one blood."

Simple Alleyne opened his eyes at this little spurt of feminine bitterness. "Nay, lady," said he, "that were worst of all. What man would be so caitiff and thrall as to fail you at your need? I have turned my brother against me, and now, alas! I appear to have given you offence also with my clumsy tongue. But, indeed, lady, I am torn both ways, and can scarce grasp in my mind what it is that has befallen."
"Nor can I marvel at that," said she,

"Nor can I marvel at that," said she, with a little tinkling laugh. "You came in as the knight does in the jongleur's romances, between dragon and damsel, with small time for the asking of questions. Come," she went on, springing to her feet, and smoothing down her rumpled frock, "let us walk through the shew together and

NATIONAL FOUNDATIONS.

NEEDED TO SOLVE OUR NATIONAL PROBLEMS.

We Must Plant Forests, Organize
Better Schools, Make Homes For
Workers and Rear the Children Close to Nature.-Menace of Great

At the commencement exercises of the Michigan Agricultural College on nobody's business." June 20th, 1906, an address was delivered by George H. Maxwell, Dean of the Homecrofters Gild of the Talisman and Executive Chairman of the National Irrigation Association.

The key-note of the address of Mr. Maxwell was the idea that we should ist as a nation. bring to the constructive work of our social and commercial life in time of peace, the same fervent patriotism and devotion to the public service that would inspire the whole na-tion if we were in the throes of a bloody conflict with the people of some other country.

In illustration of this he referred to our forest resources, wasteful improvidence with which we have swept the forests out of existence was contrasted with the elaborate care with which we have built fortifications and navies and equipped our armies. yet, said Mr. Maxwell, we have little to fear from any foreign foe. But we have much to fear from the wreck and ruin that will inevitably follow the destruction of our forests.

Destroy the forests and over im-mense areas flood and drouth will destroy the farms.

timber. Destroy a city by bombardment or

years more beautiful than ever.

to restore it.

leaves the mountain sides so exposed prove a national curse. to erosion that the rocks are washed

control the legislature would use to the great tide of population that has get control of and destroy every acre of unreserved timber land in those PATRICTISM IN TIME OF PEACE territories. The country owes a debt of gratitude to Senator Burroughs of your State for his aid in preventing that bill from passing the Senate.

It seems incredible that these things should be done by Congress,

In the first place the people at large take no interest in the preservation of their own property.
"What is everybody's business is

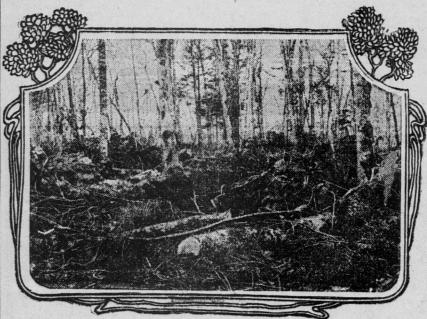
In the second place we have not yet, as a people, risen far enough above the mere worship of Mammon to realize that we are deliberately sacrificing to the Golden Calf the resources without which we cannot ex-

And worse than this, we are crowding our working people, both native and foreign born, into an environment where congestion of population is degenerating our workers and rotting their physical and moral fibre. will you find any citizenship Where in the slum and tenement districts of our cities to whom you can effectively appeal for help to stop the waste of our forests? They know nothing about it and care less. The first need of any nation is an intelligent citizenship, and the slums and tenements of our great cities are maelstroms into which the citizenship of the country is being drawn to its destruction in a steadily increasing volume.

We are suffering just now from a spasm of national hysteria because what everybody who ever took the trouble to go and look knew long ago Destroy the forests and you will at which the great packers of Chicago -the revolting

fire and it can be rebuilt in a few of the horrors of the slaughtering and side by side with the centralization of packing of meat in those establish-Destroy a forest on the plains and ments, and nothing you can imagine it may take more than a generation equals the horror of blighting the lives of thousands of children who Destroy a forest on the mountains, are condemned to live and grow up in where the soil is thin and poor, and the foul physical, social and moral it may take centuries to restore the forest if it can ever be done at all. The destruction of the forest cover a national disgrace and is bound to

There is only one remedy for those



"DESTROY THE FORESTS AND FLOOD AND DROUTH WILL DESTROY THE FARMS."

impossible We are told by experts, and no one in less than forty years. I have re- food from a hor cently seen it stated at thirty-five years. If we are to guard against this national danger the Timber and Stone Law must be repealed, and all public timber lands included in permment Forest Reserves, the title to the land forever retained by the National Government, stumpage only of matured timber sold, and young timber preserved for future cutting, so that the forests will be perpetuated by right use; and the National Government must, by the reservation or purchase of existing forest lands, and the planting of new forests, create in every state National Forest Plantations from which, through all the years to come, a sufficient supply of wood and timber can be annually harvested to supply the needs of the people of each state from the Forest Plantations in that state.

Unless we take time by the forelock the next generation will see the United States practically a treeless nation, without wood or timber for the uses of our people, and devastated year after year by ruinous - oods. Already the scarcity of timber is being felt and every man who builds a home must pay the increased cost. In Michigan I understand that some of crippled by the shortage of timber.

And yet, in the face of this condition which is nothing more than a crisis threatening the complete destruction of one of our greatest resources as a nation, Congress busies itself with a multitude of matters of infinitely less importance and refuses to repeal the Timber and Stone Act. under which the last remnants of our the timber speculators for less than one-tenth of their actual value.

We are told by the men in Congress who make Committees and shape legislation that the money cannot be spared to acquire and save from destruction the Calaveras Big Trees in California, or to create the White Mountain and Appalachian Forest Reserves, and preserve their forest resources and save the water power used in the manufacturing industries of New England and the South: and the same men in the same moment refuse to stop the most shameless waste of a nation's resources that ever dis graced a national lawmaking body by refusing to repeal the Timber and

New Mexico where the forests are the very life of the country, the joint Statehood Bill proposed to give a floating grant of several million acres formerly its drawbacks. which the land speculators who would

Stone Act.

bare of soil, and reforestation becomes | horrible conditions of life for the children, and that is to get the working people and their children out of contradicts the statement, that at the present rate of consumption, our entire forest resources will be exhausted fresh air and pure and nourishing

> Let us realize once for all that this problem of the children of our working people is our greatest national problem and go at its solution with the same patriotic and self-sacrificing national heroism that led the Homecrofters of Japan to go into battle with their lives in their hands, like hand grenades, to throw at the enemy that sought to crush out their national life

> Let us catch the inspiration of the slogan of the Homecrofters' Movement in this Country, and never cease our work until we have

> "Every child in a garden-Every Mother in a Homecroft-and Individual Industrial Independence Every Worker in a Home of his own on the Land."

> The Creed and Platform of the and anyone who wants a copy of it can get it without charge by sending a postal card addressed to me, at the Fisher Building in Chicago.

The Great Cities are our most serious menace in this Country. Our greatest national danger lies in the Centralization of wealth and population and trade and industry. The your most important industries are suburban home and in the country and suburban town and village.

Let us go seriously to work to create and upbuild them. Let every student who goes out from this splendid institution go with the spirit of a soldier to fight the great battles of peace for higher national ideals, for a purer public service, for the preservation of our national resources, for a better educational system, and unreserved national forest lands are above and beyond all for the multiplibeing fed into the insatiable maw of cation of Homes on the Land where the children can grow to manhood and womanhood in the uplifting environment of a rural community where the evil influences of the cities can be forever kept at bay. In such an environment children can be reared to citizenship next to Nature from whence they can draw health and vigor both moral and physical for the discharge of all the duties of life.

It is not in the cities that this country now needs the service of the flower of ing of shrubs and flowers. At Perry its patriotic manhood. It is in the country where the great national problem of the improvement of the school campus in the state, the school campus in the state, the school campus in the state, the school campus in the state. rural life is to be solved, where more children helped in the good work. At beautiful towns and villages and better roads are to be built, better a leader in the observance of Arbor schools to be established, telephones day and the inculcation of the senti-Not only this, but in Arizona and and trolley lines constructed, and all ment for the civic beauty. the influences put to work that will socialize the country, and drive away

We must not only stop and reverse made beautiful.

been drifting from the country to the cities. We must decentralize industry and trade as well as population. The pariotism that is latent in every heart must find an outlet in every country town and village in the work of village improvement, of creating an environment for human life where the highest utility and beauty will surround the entire community, and where a local civic loyalty will prevail that will anchor the people to their own hearthstone and where they will live content under their own vine and

This local pride and love of home and the home town is one of the strongest of human feelings when once it is deeply planted. It should be cultivated in every possible way.

Nothing should be left undone to stimulate or cement it. Every member of such a community should cultivate a spirit of comradeship and co-operate to advance the general welfare of all. The merchant, the small tradesman, the country editor, the Church, should all work together to that end. Home industry should be encouraged in every possible way. The whole community should co-operate to protect and stimulate the trade of the

The home paper should be liberally patronized. There is no one thing capable of more far reaching and enduring influence for good than the country press. One of the most unfortunate of modern influences has been the trend of commercial evolution that has borne so heavily on the country editor by the development of the metropolitan family monthly and mail order papers, filled with temptation for the rural people to stimulate the same time destroy many of our most important industries by the exbaustion of our supply of wood or for food.

which the great packets of chicago in the cities by supplying their ordinary needs from far distant and practically unknown sources. This trend the centralization of wealth and trade But you may draw the worst pict- toward the centralization of trade ure that your imagination can paint and industry in the great cities walks wealth and population as a menace to our national future. The danger it threatens can only be obviated by awakening the people at large to a realization of it.

The great central and controlling thought that must rise above all others as a national ideal is the conviction that the real bulwarks of the nation are the Homes of its Citizens and that the first thought and highest ambition of every young man should be to establish a HOME, a self-sustaining Home on the Land, where he can be independent and enjoy the real happiness of a well spent life and not make the mistake that brings dissappointment and misery to so many, of setting up the accumulation of a fortune as the goal of his life's ambition! It is a lure which of necessity must wreck thousands in order that a few may succeed. The man who earns enough to live comfortably without luxury, as every intelligent and industrious man can who has sufficient practical education, and who does his duty to himself, his family, his friends, his country and to humanity is the man who really succeeds in life and who gets the greatest happiness and satisfaction out of it.

To create a human character of the highest type with everything that implies, is the most admirable of all human achievments and that every man and woman must and can do for

"A time like this demands strong men, Great hearts, true faith and ready hands; Men whom the lust of office does not kill, Men whom the spoils of office cannot buy, den who possess opinion and a will, Men who have honor, men who will not

lie, who can stand before a demagogue, And damn his treacherous flatteries without winking;

Tall men, sun-crowned, who live above the

In public duty and in private thinking."

FOR THE TOWN BEAUTIFUL.

Missouri Women Begin Campaign for Cleaner Cities and Villages

(Columbia Herald.) The club women of Missouri have taken up in earnest the campaign for cleaner cities and towns. In St. Joseph and other large towns organizations of women have done much to promote a general sentiment for cleanliness and are planning more. In Macon a women's organization virtually manages the street cleaning department, collects the money from merchants, superintends the work and disburses the funds. The members of Homecrofter tells how it may be done the club at Trenton, a women's club, have started a campaign that is being watched with interest and imitated in other towns. At the annual meeting at the home of their president, Mrs. T. N. Witten, the club discussed plans for the promotion of a sentiment for better care of lawns and gardens, hope of the nation is in the farm and cleaner streets and alleys and general improvements. The subject of the opening paper of the meeting, read by A. Asher, was this appropriate one: "The Town's Opportunity-How Can It Do More Than the City for a Beautiful 'merican Life?" One of the plans decided upon was to offer cash prizes to children in the various wards of Trenton for the best showings under prescribed conditions, in the growing of flowers and care of premises. Seeds for the competitors are to be furnished practically free by the club. The mayor was asked to issue a proclamation for a neral cleaning-up day, asking citizens to devote a few hours systematically to disposing of the accumulated rubbish.

What the women are doing in some Missouri towns the school children have been urged to undertake in others. At various ward schools of Joplin the pupils assisted in the cleaning up of the grounds in readiness for the lant school campus in the state, the school Joplin Principal S. A. Baker has been a leader in the observance of Arbor

A town must first be built in wilderness and then made beautiful. The Missouri wilderness has gone, the towns are here and are now being

BE A HOMECROFTER

Learn by Doing. Work Together. Give every Man a Chance.

THE SLOGAN OF THE HOMECROFTERS IS

"Every Child in a Garden-Every Mother in a Homecroft, and Individual, Industrial Independence for Every Worker in a Home of his Own on the Land."

"A little croft we owned—a plot of corn,
A garden stored with peas and mint and thyme.
And flowers for posies, oft on Sunday morn,
Plucked while the church bells rang their earliest chimes."
— Wordsworth.

"The Citizen standing in the doorway of his home—contented on his threshold, his family gathered about his hearthstone, while the evening of a well spent day closes in scenes and sounds that are dearest—he shall save the Republic when the drum-tap is futile and the barracks are exhausted."—Henry W. Grady.

"The slums and tenements of the our fast increasing population in ingreat cities are social dynamite, cer- dividual homes on the land-home

tain to explode sooner or later. The only safeguard against such dangers is to plant the multiplying millions of independence."—George H. Maxwell.



FIRST BOOK AND HOMECROFTERS

HAS JUST BEEN PUBLISHED AND AMONG ITS CONTENTS ARE THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES OF ABSORBING INTEREST BY

The Brotherhood of Man Charity that is Everlasting The Secret of Nippon's Power Lesson of a Great Calamity

that will Chronicle the Progress of the HOMECROFT MOVEMENT

and inform all who wish to co-operate with it how they may do so through the formation of local Homecrofters' Circles, Clubs or Gilds to promote Town and Village Betterment, stimulate home civic pride and loyalty to home institutions, industries and trade, improve methods and facilities of education in the local public schools, and create new opportunities "At Home" that will go far to check the drift of trade and population to the cities.

The first Gild of the Homecrofters man, which is as follows: has been established at Watertown, Massachusetts. The Gildhall, Shops and Gardens are located at 143 Main Street, where the Garden School is now fully organized and over one hundred children are at work in the Gardens. The departments for training in Homecraft and Village Industries are being installed. The Weavers are already at work at the looms.

It is not designed to build here an isolated institution, but to make a model which can be duplicated in any town or village in the country.

Copies of "THE FIRST BOCK OF THE HOMECROFTERS" can be should be to obtained by sending twelve two- on the land. cent stamps with your name and BUILD HOMECROFTS AS NATIONaddress (carefully and plainly written) to The Homecrofters' Glid the Talisman 143, Main St., Watertown, Massachusetts.

for every Worker who wants a Home country, to the end that land shall be of his own on the Land in the subdivided into small holdings in the CREED AND PLATFORM OF THE HOMECROFTERS' which is as fol-

"Peace has her victories no less renowned than war."

EDUCATION CO-OPERATION OPPORTUNITY HOMECROFTS

We believe that the Patriotic Slogan of the Whole People of this Nation should be "Every Child in a Garden-Every Mother in a Homecroft—and In-dividual Industrial Independence for Every Worker in a Home of his Own on the Land," and that until he owns such a Home, the concentrated purpose and chief inspiration to labor in the life of every wage worker should be his determination to "Get an Acre and

Live on it." We believe that the Slums and Tenements and Congested Centers of population in the Cities are a savagely deteriorating social, moral and political influence, and that a great public ENLARGEMENT OF AREA AVAILmovement should be organized, and the whole power of the nation and the states exerted for the betterment of all the conditions of Rural Life, and to create and upbuild Centers of Social and Civic Life in Country and Suburban Towns and Villages, where Trade and Industry can be so firmly anchored that they cannot be drawn is now steadily sucking Industry and Humanity into the Vortex of the Great Cities.

We believe that every Citizen in which will train him to Earn a Living, and, if need be, to get his living straight from Mother Earth; and that he has the same right to the Opportunity to have the Work to Do which will afford him that living, and to earn not only a corfortable livelihood, but enough more to enable him to be a Homecrofter and to have a Home of his Own, with ground around it sufficient to yield him and his family sufficient to yield him and his family sary to bring water within reach of nature that a Living from the Land as the reward settlers on the arid lands, the cost of around him. for his own labor.

is the most precious heritage of the people, and the surest safeguard the nation has against Social Unrest, Disturbance or Upheaval, and that the Cause of Humanity and the Preservation of Social Stability and of our Free Institutions demand that the absorption of the public lands into specula- rapidly as the lands reclaimed will be tive private ownership, without settle- utilized in small farms by actual ment, be forthwith stopped; and that the nation should create opportunities for Homecrofters by building irrigation and drainage works to reclaim that the amount needed each year for land as fast as it is needed to give construction, as recommended by the every man who wants a Home on the Land a chance to get it.

We believe that, as a Nation, we should be less absorbed with Making clamation Fund, and repaid from living, for all that.

This book is the first of a Series Money, and should pay more heed to raising up and training Men who will be Law-Abiding Citizens; that the welfare of our Workers is of more consequence than the mere accumulation of Wealth; and that Stability of National Character and of Social and Business Conditions is of greater importance to the people of this country as a whole than any other one question that is now before them; and we believe that the only way to Preserve such Stability, and to Permanently Maintain our National Prosperity, is to carry into immediate effect and operation the Platform of the Talis-

EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND HOMES ON THE LAND.

Training Schools shall be established by county, municipal, to Homestead Entry. state, and national governments, where every boy and every man out

AND WA of work who wants employment where he can gain that knowledge, can learn how to make a home and till the soil and get his living straight from the ground, and where every boy would be taught that his first aim in life should be to get a home of his own

AL SAFEGUARDS.

That the New Zealand system of Land Taxation and Land Purchase There is New Hope and Inspiration tlers Act, shall be adopted in this subdivided into small holdings in the hands of those who will till it for a livelihood, and labor find occupation all unused and unappropriated waters in the creation of homecrofts, which are public property, subject to appro-will be perpetual safeguards against priation for a beneficial use, first in the political evils and social discontent resulting from the overgrowth of cities and the sufferings of unemployed wage-earners.

> PROTECTION FOR THE AMER-ICAN HOMECROFT.

3. That Rural Settlement shall be encouraged and the principle of Protection for the American Wageworker and his Home applied directly to the Home by the Exemption from Taxation of all improvements upon, and also of all personal property, not exceeding \$2,500 in value, used on and ceeding \$2,500 in value, used on and in connection with, every Homecroft or Rural Homestead of not more than garden. A reader of MAXWEL 'S ten acres in extent, which the owner occupies as a permanent home and cultivates with his own labor and so provides therefrom all or part of the Moines Daily News, which is so fully support for a family.

ABLE FOR HOMEMAKING.

4. That the National Government, as part of a comprehensive nationpolicy of internal improvements for river control and regulation, dollar, and for the enlargement to the utmost possible extent of the good. area of the country available for agriculture and Homes on the Land, and only levees and revetments where ing the primal instincts of nature. needed, and drainage works for the reclamation of swamp and overflowed this Country has an inherent and lands, but shall also preserve existing Fundamental Right to an Education forests, reforest denuded areas, plant new forests, and build the great reservoirs and other engineering works necessary to safeguard against over-flow and save for beneficial use the pure. flood waters that now run to waste.

RECLAMATION AND SETTLE-MENT OF THE ARID LANDS.

5. That the National Government shall build the irrigation works necessuch works to be repaid to the govern-We believe that the Public Domain ment by such settlers in annual installments without interest, and that the construction of the great irrigation he can plant it in green peas, succulent works necessary for the utilization of onions, radishes or lettuce, and still the waters of such large rivers as the find room for a flower or two to throw Columbia, the Sacramento, the Colorado, the Rio Grande, and the Missouri, and their tributaries, shall proceed as settlers and homemakers, who will repay the government the cost of construction of the irrigation works, and flats and tenements can't be. construction, as recommended by the Secretary of the Interior, shall be is that of a bird that is eased. made available by Congress as a loan from the general treasury to the Re-

lands reclaimed, as required by the National Irrigation Act. SAVE THE PUBLIC LANDS FOR

HOMEMAKERS.

6. That not another acre of the public lands shall ever hereafter be granted to any state or territory for any purpose whatsoever, or to any one other than an actual settler who has built his home on the land and lived on it for five years, and that no more land scrip of any kind shall ever be issued, and that the Desert Land Law and the Commutation Clause of the Homestead Law shall be made to conform to the recommendations of the Public Lands Commission appointed by President Roosevelt and of the Message of the President to Congress. PLANT FORESTS AND CREATE

FOREST PLANTATIONS.

7. That the Timber and Stone Law shall be repealed, and that all pub-lic timber lands shall be included in permanent Forest Reserves, the title to the land to be forever retained by the National Government, stumpage only of matured timber to be sold, and young timber to be preserved for future cutting, so that the forests will be perpetuated by right use; and that the National Government shall, by the reservation or purchase of existing forest lands, and the planting of new forests, create in every state National Forest Plantations from which, through all the years to come, a sufficient supply of wood and timber can be annually harvested to supply the needs of the people of each state from the Forest Plantations in that

CONTROL AND USE OF THE GRAZING LANDS.

8. That all unlocated public lands not otherwise reserved shall be reserved from location or entry under any law except the Homestead Law, and shall be embraced in Grazing Re-serves under the control of the Secretary of Agriculture, who shall be empowered to issue annual Licenses to The Sign of a Thought but such licenses shall never be issued for a lenger period than one year on agricultural lands or five years on grazing lands, and all lands classified as grazing lands shall be subject to reclassification at the end of every five years; that no leases of the public grazing lands shall ever be made by the National Government, and that the area of the homestead entry shall never under any circumstances be en-larged to exceed 160 acres. RESERVE STATE LANDS FOR

HOMESTEAD SETTLERS.

9. That the public land states shall administer the state lands under a system similar to and in harmony with the national public land system above outlined, and that each state shall enact a State Homestead Law for the settlement of lands owned by the state, and that state lands shall 1. That children shall be taught the state, and that state lands shall gardening and homecraft in the public schools, and that Homecraft and under such law, and that all state under such law, and that all state lands shall at all times remain open

UNITED OWNERSHIP OF LAND AND WATER.

10. That it shall be the law of every state and of the United States, that beneficial use is the basis, the measure, and the limit of all rights to water, including riparian rights, and that the right to the use of water for irrigation shall inhere in and be appurtenant to the land irrigated, so that the ownership of the land and the water shall be united, and no right to water as a speculative commodity ever be acquired, held or owned.

RIGHT OF APPROPRIATION FOR

BENEFICIAL USE. 11. That it shall be the law of every state and of the United States, that time being first in right, and that on all interstate streams, priority of use shall give priority of right, throughout the entire course of the stream, without regard to state lines, and that in each drainage basin the irrigators therein shall control the distribution of the water.

A Homecroft Garden. The Homecroft Movement is grow-

ing in strength and many leading newspapers are editorially advocating HOMEMAKER MAGAZINE, Westbranch, Iowa, sends us the following editorial clipped from the Des in harmony with what this magazine stands for that we take pleasure in reproducing the same. The editor of the News says:

A little garden, if properly cared for, will save the city dweller many a

But that is by no means the chiefest good. Even if he has more money than he knows what to do with he will still find rich profit in wielding into the Commercial Maelstrom that for the protection of those Homes from the spade and hoe for exercise. And either flood or drouth, shall build not the rarest pleasure comes from follow-

It is not alone the plants and flowers re long for.

An inner something impels us to put our hands at work in the earth, to bathe our bodies in the sunshine and o open our souls in devotion to things that are not gross, but sweet and

To be pitied is t e man who does not drink in with delight t. e fragrance of the flowers after having breathed all day the stench of a city, and who does not learn a lesson from the noiseless, orderly, beneficent processes of nature that are constantly going on

Every city dweller who has a bit of ground ought to have a garden. It may be only five feet square, but

a little color and a little fragrance into There are : any reasons, economical,

every man should be his own gardener, if he can. Thousands of dwellers in hotels,

physical, esthetic and moral, why

is that of a bird that is caged. They may laugh-and so does the caged bird sing. But it is not true

BEEF TRUST METHODS.

THOUSANDS OF HUMAN BEINGS GROUND DOWN BY PITILESS CORPORATIONS.

Inhuman Treatment of Men and Women Who Are Forced to Work in Great Establishments.-In Lowest Depths of Misery.

BY UPTON SINCLAIR.

(New York World .) It is literally the truth that the pack ers treat their men like dogs. There is no place in all Packingtown where the slightest consideration is shown for a human being. They are compelled to be on hand at a certain hour in the morning, even though there is no killing to be done; they are laid off without the slightest ceremony, and they have no idea when the work will start up again. They are cheated out of their pay most shamelessly; if enough men happen to be on hand the bosses will start them up before the whistles blow, and cheat them that way. If they are working overtime and do not make a full hour, even though they fail by only five minutes, they get nothing for it. If any error is made in the computation of their work they have no redress; there is always one answer to every complaint: "If you do not like it you can go else

ONE VAST TRUST.

The conditions in Packingtown have reached their present state of degradation by the natural process of competition, or rather, there is competition of labor while there is no competition of capital.. There is but one vast employing trust and a body of absolutely unorganized and helpless types of human beings are coming There has been a regular procession of the races through Packingtown; the industry was founded by skilled cattle butchers from Germany; then they began the importing of Irishmen. After the strike of 1894 they set to work deliberately to crowd the labor market so as to prevent further troubles; first they brought Poles, then Bohemians, then Lithuanians, and now finally Slovaks. These are nearly all undersized, wretched people who cannot speak English, and who impress one as having no more intelligence than a dumb animal. The bosses beat them and kick them and spit in their faces. I saw sights of this sort which fairly made my blood boil. I saw a poor, wretched Lithuanian pushing a truck in one of Swift & Co.'s cellars; it was loaded with hams, and the poor fellow was scarcely able to stir it on the level floor. He came to a slight incline and could not get it up, and the boss fell upon him and pounded him out of the place. I presume that he "firing" him. Another and stronger man took his place.

COMPELLED TO VISIT SALOONS.

One of the things pointed out in the President's report is that the men are provided with no places to eat. It is difficult to imagine what this means in the winter time. I saw them crouching in the stairways of the packing houses and outside under the sheds to get away from the falling snow. In conversation with one of the packers I spoke of the horribly low wages that were paid to the men, and he answered that there was no use in paying any

8. OGDEN ARMOUR.

one thing I had observed that the com-

that saloons are the most convenient

places in which these can be cashed;

to Congress.

everywhere in the handling of meat

being prepared for the various meat-food products. * * *

"As an extreme example of the en-

tire disregard on the part of employes

of any notion of cleanliness in handling

dressed meat, we saw a hog that had

just been killed, cleaned, washed, and

started on its way to the cooling room fall from the sliding rail to a dirty

"An absence of cleanliness was found

the subject.

dull season.

panies pay their men in checks, and

wooden floor and slide part way into a filthy men's toilet. It was picked up by two employes, placed upon a truck, carried into the cooling room and hung up with other carcasses, no effort being made to clean it. * * *

"In another establishment, equally well known, a long table was noted covered with several hundred pounds of cooked scraps of beef and other meats. Some of these meat scraps were dry, leathery, and unfit to be eaten; and in the heap were found pieces of pig-skin, and even some bits of rope strands and other rubbish. Inquiry evoked the frank admission from the man in charge that this was to be ground up and used in making 'potted

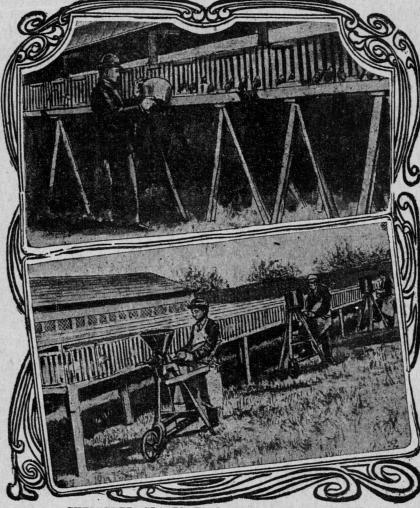
Home-made Bone Fertilizer.

Everyone with a large garden has an out-of-the-way place for fertilizers where a "bone barrel" could be placed. To reduce bones to fertilizer without the use of acids takes time, but for the home garden it is well worth waiting for. Put in a barrel three or four inches of soil, then a closely packed layer of bones, broken up somewhat, and cover these with wood ashes and

PROFITS IN CHICKENS. Crate and Machine Fattening Bring the Highest Prices. T. F. McGrew.

West, and referred to the large number of fowls that are grown upon the wheat fields of the Northwest and which are purchased and shipped in to the big packing establishments of Kansas City and other western centres. The packers of the west have established enormous finishing plants, as they are called, for the feeding, fattening and preparing of poultry of all kinds for market. The fowlshere are received in large numbers, placed in coops that hold from three to five birds, according to their size, and are 'trough-fed"-that is, they are fed a mixture of ground meals properly prepared in troughs, and permitted to eat as much as they will consume, from three to five times per day.

Poultry crate-fattened in this will continue to eat well and thrive from nine to twelve days. So soon as they cease to feed themselves ravenously from these troughs, what is known as the cramming machine is brought into service. The manipulator of the cramming machine must have experience in the handling and feedwet with liquid manure from the ling of the fowls in this way.



SHELTERED CRATES USED FOR CRATE-FATTENING. POULTRY STUFFERS AT WORK

rounding the surface, and sow with clover or grass seed, or plant the top with some plant that will knit the soil together as a cover, that will not let more, because the balance went to the through much moisture. In a year's

stables, if possible, or with plain water cramming machine is composed of a the top of a three-legged, movable plunger in the top, placed there after the cylinder is filled with the properly prepared food, and with the pressure of the foot upon the lever, the food is forced through the tube into the crop of the fowl.

THE CRAMMER IS AN EXPERT.

The operator in charge of the cram-

This manner of feeding is carried on the fact that poor or inferior specifor a sufficient number of days to mens cannot be successfully fattened make the entire period of feeding from 19 to 21 days. An experienced handler knows just the time when the fowls are finished ready for killing. When this time arrives, they are speedily

The food made use of for this purpose is a mixture of meals of several

strengthened with 10 cents worth feed trough or chamber placed upon of washing ammonia. Repeat the the top of a three-legged, movable layers as there are bones enough until table, as it might be called, with a the barrel is full. Cover with soil, plunger in the top, placed there after

> ming machine has several assistants who bring the fowls from the coop to might be termed greasy meat, while poultry finished or fattened in this him; he placing the tube down the throat beyond the windpipe towards the crop, fills the same by a pressure of the foot, always gauging the amount sells for the highest prices of any orced into the crop by the hand poultry sent to marke pressure upon it.

killed, dry-picked, and placed in proper condition for market.

kinds, to conform to the requirements of the market. Ground oats, corn and middlings, mixed with boiled milk or water into a very dry mash or mixed food is made use of for the first 12 to 14 days for trough feeding. During this period, the fowls have grit and plenty of water to drink where they can help themselves. So soon as they show a disposition to stop feeding themselves, all the food, water and grit is removed from the trough, and the stuffing machine is brought into service. The same meals mixed into a gruel are used for this purpose, the food forced into the crop

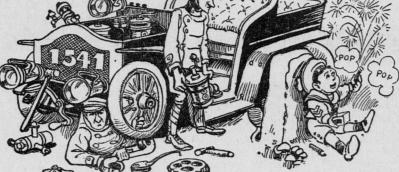
saloon keeper. My reply was that for | time empty the barrel, spade the contents together, make into a heap, and let it stand for a month, then use as



UPTON SINCLAIR.

TWO PROMINENT MEN IN THE BEEF TRUST INVESTIGATION.

wanted.



And after looking for the trouble - find it -

Some time since we published an article on poultry growing North and

BIG BASEBALI

with the stuffing machine in a semi-

fluid condition, and no water or grit

whatever is given to the fowls during

this period, the semi-liquid food fur-

nishing sufficient moisture for the

GREAT GAIN IN WEIGHT AND

QUALITY.

largely in weight. For instance, a fowl placed in the coop weighing three

pounds and a quarter, bones, feathers

and offal, would weigh from one and

a half to two pounds more when fin-ished, adding in this way two pounds

of edible meat to the carcass, and so

improving the entire carcass as to add

from three to four cents per pound to

its value over that of poultry of that

kind not so well finished. Thus, a fowl

weighing three pounds and a quarter,

worth 9 cents per pound, would sell for

thirty cents as it came from the

range. The same fowl, after being fed

three weeks, would weigh five and a quarter pounds and sell for twelve cents a pound at the lowest calcula-

tion, which would be 63 cents for the

same carcass, after having been fed

for three weeks. The estimate placed

upon the cost of feeding is about ten

What is known as the yellow-

skinned or yellow-meated poultry is

prime favorite in the markets of this

country. To intensify and beautify

the richness of these colors, meal made from yellow corn is largely used in

the process of fattening. For the English market, which is largely catered to by these packers, fowls having the white color of flesh are pre-

ferred. To intensify and improve this,

ground oats, meal from white corn,

and some finely ground rice is made use of. To add luster, finish and

quality to all these, a small per cent.

of melted tallow is mixed into the warm mash, and fed in a semi-liquid

state the last four or five days of feed-

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adds fatty globules throughout the entire carcass. A fowl that has been

fattened with corn is usually what

way lays on close or solid meat with

no globules of fat scattered through it.

A peculiarity in these conditions is

or finished in this way. Only the well-

grown thrifty specimens can be profit ably crate-fattened and improved in weight and character of flesh. One

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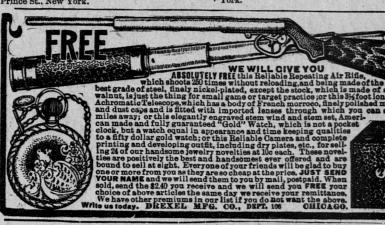
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